of the current school year. said.

the end of the current school Thursday's meeting. Projects projects without having to bor-

Mary Herbert, math teacher at projects. Zion Chapel School, effective Among the projects declared

tem received many years of building at Kinston. also noted that all three are core- bers: curriculum teachers.

Jernigan also noted the thought system as surplus. "When you read some of Marianna, Fla.

• Accept the retirement of Jernigan noted that many of (leveraged funds). Dr. Ingram Barbara Cole, language arts the teachers thank the board for reminded board members that teacher at New Brockton High allowing them to serve. He sug- last year they gave her permis-School, effective the end of the gested the thanks certainly goes sion to apply for leveraged both ways. · Accept the retirement of Board members declared sev- tem's part in the shared funds Jackie Jinright, science teacher eral small projects as public was \$1,089,198.26. She said

that will cost less than \$50,000 row local funds. • Accept the retirement of can be declared as public works, • Gave the superintendent per-

the end of the current school last week were: refinishing the wood floors at Kinston, refinish-In regards to the retirements, ing the gym floors at Kinston, Dr. Ingram said the school sys- press box at Kinston, storage service from those retiring. She In other business, board mem-

• Declared several old buses GELINSKI JR. Board vice-chairman Danny no longer needed by the school Mr. Wayne Walter Gelinski that goes into some of the retire- • Approved out-of-state travel his home Monday night, April 7 ment letters board members for a group of second grade stu- 2008. Funeral arrangements will receive from faculty and staff. dents to visit the Caverns in be announced by Hayes Funeral

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teacher/coach at New Brockton these retirement letters, it will . Approved a resolution to High School, effective the end bring a lump in your throat," he allow the issuance of the 2008 Capital Outlay Pool Warrant funds. She said the school sysat Zion Chapel School, effective works projects during last this is a way to continue capital

mission to bid CNP items.

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Town of New Brockton plans Spring Dance

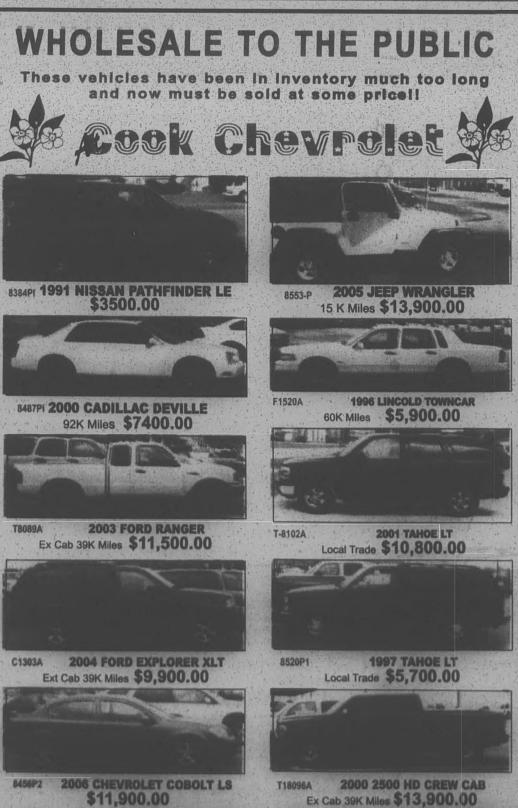
The Town of New Brockton will hold a Spring Dance this weekend and officials hope area citizens will make plans to

The New Brockton Spring Dance will be Saturday evening, April 12, from 7 to 11 p.m. Music will feature "Southern Express" with Shawn Stuckey. The event will be held at the New Brockton Town Hall, located at 706 E. McKinnon Street. There will be a small admission charge to attend, and door prizes

will be concessions available. Event organizers said they hope to begin having the dance every Saturday night in New Brockton. During the New Brockton Town Council meeting Monday night of this week, Mayor Charles Cole said another dance already is scheduled for Saturday, April 26.

will be given away. There also

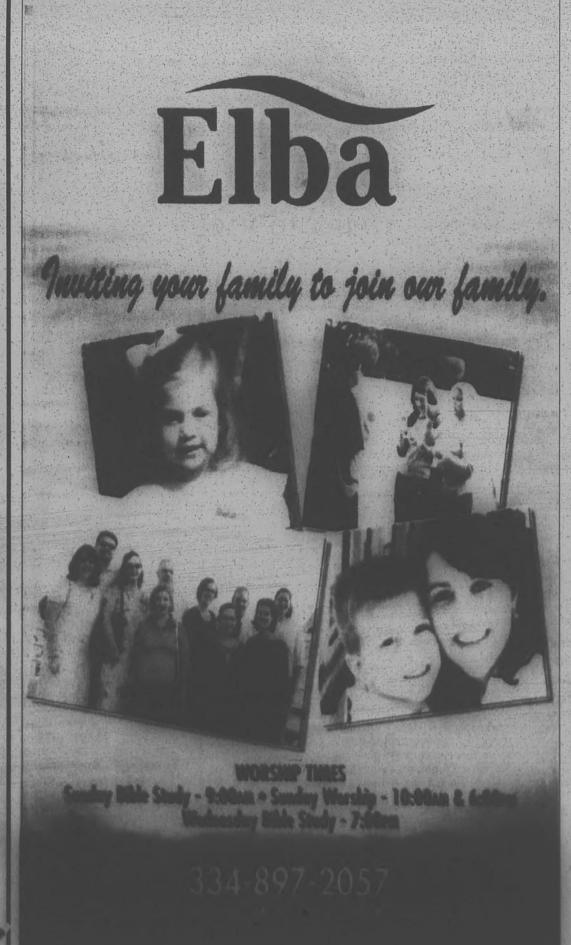
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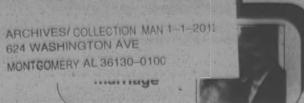


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548 warnings and 224 citations issued in March Elba's chief of police reminds motorists to obey traffic laws by Ferrin Cox, Publisher and only 224 traffic citations is

Elba Police Chief Freddy The largest number of cita-Hanchey reported to the Elba tions was the 85 seat belt viola-City Council Monday evening tions reported. There were also that activity was up quite a bit 58 speeding tickets issued. during the month of March. He Speeding accounted for 371 of added, however, that it was due the warnings issued. mostly an effort to remind mo-

the traffic laws. pended/revoked licenses, and The numbers presented by seven other drivers license vi-Hanchey showed 60 percent of olations, 25 insurance violation the traffic contacts made by officers resulted in warnings. Please See TRAFFIC, Page 14

There were 548 warnings issued

Elba City Council reviews financial statements during regular meeting

torists to be more attentive to in 25 driving with sus-

pleased with the numbers. cost for fuel was \$13,464 dur-In spite of a nationwide eco- ing the same period. nomic downturn, sales tax rev- The council approved payenue in Elba is basically ment of monthly bills totaling

holding to budget estimates. monthly fluctuations. Overall income for the City of Elba is \$187,000 above budget estimates. At the same time current ex-

penses were in line, in spite of increased fuel costs. The overall (penses were up, but could quickly be explained by paying \$43,000 of last year's street paving expenses after the first of the fiscal year and \$40,000 of grant projects that showed up as operating expenses. Departmental expenses var-

ied with administrative expenses up the most due to paying all 2008 annual payments on a 2005 bond issue in January. The fire department cost is below budget; police department is high due to prisoner expense, training and telephone

The street department expenses are higher than budget by \$23,000. Part of this excess is salaries above budget, as are gasoline and supplies.

The sanitation department report shows salaries, gasoline and landfill cost over budget by about \$10,000. The recreation department is over \$36,000 below budget. However Mayor James Grimes reminded council members that the summer recreation season is where much of that budget is spent. Grimes told council members of a comparison study on gasoline usage for the first six

pared with the same period last Monday evening the Elba year. He said economy measmonthly and year-to-date finan- diesel fuel from 27,958 gallons square. Once the sidewalk improvements are completed, each side of the square will include, among other enhancements, two handicial statements and seemed to 25,422, however additional

by Brian Blair, Staff Writer

cialist at Elba Headstart.

WEDDINGS & MORE, A BAKERY AND FLORAL DEPARTMENT, celebrated its grand open-

ing recently. In conjunction, the Elba Chamber of Commerce honored owner, Dottie Burleson, with

a ribbon cutting ceremony Friday morning, April 4, at the business location (2748 Hickman Avenue, Elba). Weddings and More features "everything for the bride except the groom" and offers a

variety of homemade specialty design cakes for all ages. Burleson recently moved the business into

a new building located behind her home. Those participating in the ribbon cutting ceremony in-

cluded (left to right): Tonya Jones, Junior Miss Elba Molly McGuire, Eva Medlock, Dottie Burleson

- owner, Jennifer Horton, Little Miss Elba Brayton Martin, Kenneth Calhoun, Elba Mayor James

Grimes, Doris Matthews, Joyce Kilcrease, Future Little Miss Elba Kate Hudson, Laurie Chapman, Young Miss Elba Emilee Hudson, Jennie Clark, Miss Elba Meagan Anderson, Herby McCall and

Kaye Whitworth - executive director of the Elba Chamber of Commerce

plan Monday, April 14, during directed at increasing safety on "We could never have af-the regular bimonthly commisthe county's roads.

THE DOWNTOWN SIDEWALK ENHANCEMENT PROJECT in Elba took a noticeable step forward this week as the contract

tor began breaking up and removing the current sidewalk Tuesday morning. April 15. This phase of the sidewalk project will include

enhancements to the four sides of the courthouse square in downtown Elba. Work began Tuesday on the Simmons Street side of the

by Linda Hodge, Editor ers approved a road striping neer Randy Tindell said is roads in the state." Tindell said. Dale and Houston counties."

capped reserved parking places and multiple handicapped access ramps.

within normally expected Please See CITY, Page 14 Coffee County Commission- sion meeting that county engit We have some of the best had not joined together with

increase safety." Tindell said most of the year.

forcing cutbacks. On Monday, Tindell asked ange reflectors) in the center of commissioners to approve a the road. forces with Dale and Houston this project.

ing equipment. Elba Headstart students, teachers, parents and other family members marched Friday morning, April 11, in their parade around town as part of their "Week of the Young Child" celebration. Elba Headstart celebrates "Week of the Young Child"

"Each day, the staff at Elba Head Start held ing at headstart. And, on Friday, the week was Tindell's request, commission-safety enhancements. different activities for the kids to participate topped off with a parade made official with a ers approved a resolution auin," said Debra Faulk, Family Services Spe-police escort around the square. "We do this every year," said Faulk when into agreement with the state ers: According to Faulk, Monday was celebrated asked about the events, "It is a time that we use for the striping of 84.19 miles Approved a resolution al-Police Department, who held a pedestrian early learning in children's lives."

strangers and saying "no" to drugs.

with a visit from Lt. John Nelson of the Elba to promote headstart and the importance of of road within the county to be lowing him to remove 39, old striped this year. safety class with the children. Children were Faulk also added that Elba Headstart is actreated to a visit by McGruff the Crime Dog on cepting applications, 89.62 miles of road to be strip-

ill hold a book sale Mon ay, April 14, through Satur-

BA HIGH SCHOOL ND DAY will be Satury, April 26, on the square downtown Elba.

TENSION OFFICE will d its annual spring landpe workshop Tuesday, ril 29, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. community room at the gram topics including ing & Using fountains in landscape with Rachel Weeks.

trol with David Koon.

the new striping equipment. dappenings

HE COFFEE COUNTY past 3 ½ years," he said. Weeks said he pledges honm Center in New Brock- be a good trustee of the taxpay-Times and topics are as ers' dollars and reminds citiows: 6:30-7 p.m. - light zens that he is available per (pizza); 7-8:30 p.m. - 24-hours a day for their calls:

es; and Using Weed & He also hopes to work to port and vote in this election," d Fertilizers plus Fireant maintain and improve facilities said Weeks. "May God richly within the county to keep the bless this great nation."



county's roads do not actually. A third portion of the striping he said roads 18 ft. or wider in for approval of a project the Coffee County have the stripe. county has in the past not been However, Tindell said in- able to do. He said the new creased costs in recent years equipment will allow the have hindered such projects county to be able to place raised pavement markers (or-

major striping plan for the Tindell said 52.4 miles of county. He said this was made road will receive reflectors. available by a recent move (ap- Commissioners approved his proved by commissioners) al- request to approve a resolution lowing Coffee County to join to authorize the completion of

counties to purchase road strip- Tindell said the objective of this plan is to reduce accidents. Tindell asked for the ap- While he said Coffee County proval of 173,81 total miles of does have some of the best striping on county roads. This roads in the state, the county is was broken down into two sep- always looking for ways to imarate projects with a portion prove safety for motorists being paid for with federal through enhancements. With funds issued through the state this in mind, he said he believes Elba Headstart celebrated the "Week of the On Wednesday, parents of the children to Coffee County for safety en-Young Child" during the week of April 7-11. helped them plant seeds that they will be grow- hancements on the roads. Upon available in the future for more

thorizing the chairman to enter county engineer, commission

projects from the highway de-Next, Tindell received appartment's DOT inspection is: proval from commissioners for Tindell said some of the projthe striping of an additional ects are move than 50 years old,

ing with county money using Please See CCC, Page 13

J L Weeks seeks re-election to Coffee County Commission, District Two seat

J L Weeks announces his candidacy for re-election as Coffee County Commissioner District

"I wish to express my sincere. hanks to the people of District Two and Coffee County for alowing me to serve them for the

esty, equality, availability and dedication to the work of the rommission and to the needs of the people. He also promises to "It is my desire to see new in- living standards and needs at a tainer Gardening with dustry come into the county to high level and to keep a county n Windham; Water Gar- provide more jobs for the peo- government that is open and reple of Coffee County," said sponsible to the people.



"I humbly ask for your sup-

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

Recently there has been lots of rehashing of the details around the assassinations of President John Kennedy, Bobby Kennedy, Reverend Martin Luther King Jr., and others. Therefore it should be no big surprise to learn there is still debate going on about the April 14, 1865 assassination of President Abe Lincoln. He was shot in Washington D.C., while watching an evening performance at the Ford Theatre: John Wilkes Boothe was accused of the shooting, chased down and killed in a shootout. The debate ebbs and flows about Mother's murder is still on were an angel to us. We had 2 talk. They need to talk about the people "conspiring" to kill him. Just last week we were noti- death row. We finally made it trials in Abbeville and 3 in their loved one. fied of some soon to be released "proof" of more than one person being involved in the planning and carrying out of the shooting of Abe Lincoln. After all these years, maybe someone has found a being denied in April 2006. It in Montgomery for our family. witness willing to testify to that effect! That person would be quite has been two years. You would When you are traumatized by old, but it sells books and movies so people keep it going.

Last week we acknowledged a birthday. Well on Friday some company graciously mailed us a sales pitch on one of those electric carts for the disabled. Maybe it just happened, because surely none of our friends are bird dogging for this company and thought William Keith Watkins has victim of rape, burglary, aswe needed mobility assistance from one of those cute little ma-

of voters and expressed his opinion that many small town citizens in the US Supreme Court hearing during the trial. We don't are "bitter." He could be talking about those who lost their jobs in ing the argument of the two understand the language or this economic turndown. Maybe he was thinking about those los- Kentucky lethal injection procedure that is taking place. ing their homes due to rising interest rates, or it could have been thoughts of those telling him they are having trouble feeding their Olin Grimsley, the other co- are important, also as well as families or paying medical bills. This has caused an uproar . . . well at least from his opponents, both Hillary Clinton and John BERY charges, not capital unit and the investigators. We McCain. Apparently we are missing something. The offensiveness of those remarks has shot right over our head. Our only question happened to the law of accom- Attorneys in our area. We are is why he noted that small town citizens are bitter. We sense lots plice? He has never stopped fil-blessed to have DA Kirke of bitterness, hatred, plain out and out fear or whatever it can be called throughout the nation. Just look at the random violence in February that the Alabama Geneva Counties and DA Ben the public schools, on the streets and in private homes. It is something to be upset about, but don't 'kill the messenger.' It may be denied his appeal where he was Bullock Counties. I can't close too late to help many of our wayward adults who are already consumed by this 'problem,' but it is not too late for the youth of America. Lots of us regular folks need to get back on the job of instilling in the younger generation the benefits of caring for (and helping) others in our society. It will make them feel better inside and actually make the world a better place to live.

Work actually started this week on the downtown sidewalk project. This will be bothersome for businesses and customers alike for I feel like we had the best for victims of crime. Go to the a few weeks, but in the end it promises to be an asset for all inDistrict Attorney to represent courthouse and sit in on some volved. Just recently we had a leading citizen from a neighboring town say she often referred people to certain businesses in Elba. Improvements in the looks of the town will surely encourage others to do the same thing. It will also make shopping in Elba more by us during these past 18 tempting and more pleasing to those who happen to be driving years. He went to the parole through the community going or coming from the beach, or for hearing with us and protested whatever reason.

Elba Police Report

to a minor, three for harass- (9:07 p.m.). one private property wreck, one fee County EMS dispatched to Reese Ave. (2:33 p.m.); Coffee identity theft, three for harass- 1115 Deal St. (7:52 a.m.); Pri- County EMS dispatched to ing communications, two for vate property accident reported 1301 N. Claxton Ave. (2:33 domestic violence, one for dis- at 6134 County Rd. 410 (8:34 p.m.); Disturbance (noise) reorderly conduct, one for prop- a.m.); Coffee County EMS dis- ported on Jackson St. (5:33 erty damage, two for criminal patched to 1163 Elm Ave. (9:20 p.m.). mischief, one missing person, a.m.); Disturbance (noise) reone for criminal trespassing, ported near 2691 Marilyn St. BULLETIN BOARD

made: one on a warrant for fail- (11:53 p.m.). conduct, one for theft of prop- Jackson St. (9:07 p.m.).

Traffic citations issued dur- on Plant Ave. (8:32 a.m.). Twenty-one for not wearing a mestic disturbance reported at seat belt, two for running a stop 1543 Powell Circle (3:45 a.m.); sign, fifteen for speeding, three Burglary reported at 713 for a revoked driver's license, Moore St. (8:27 a.m.); Possible three for no proof of insurance, domestic disturbance reported three for a suspended driver's on West St. (12:56 p.m.). license, one for improper SATURDAY, APRIL 12 -

were as follows:

beginning Monday, April 7, Dr. (1:37 p.m.); Coffee County, Stondemire St. (11:24 p.m.) 2008, investigated the follow- EMS dispatched to 1670 Hwy. SUNDAY, APRIL 13 - Oneing incidents: three for theft of 166 (6:55 p.m.); Domestic dis-vehicle wreck reported on property, one for contributing turbance reported on Sollie Dr. County Rd. 404 (1:10 a.m.); Elba Fire Department disment, one death investigation, TUESDAY, APRIL 8 - Cof- patched to a vehicle fire at 941

one rape, one child exchange, (9:08 p.m.); Domestic disturone attempted suicide, one for bance reported at 473 Adkinchild discipline and one for at- son Ave., Apt. A (9:43 p.m.); tempted theft of property. Domestic disturbance reported The following arrests were at 1897 Martin Luther King Dr.

ure to pay, one for domestic vi- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9 olence, one for disorderly Disturbance (noise) reported on erty, one for harassment and THURSDAY, APRIL 10 -Burglary reported at a business ing the week were as follows: FRIDAY, APRIL 11 - Do-

equipment, one for no driver's Domestic disturbance reported license, one for no insurance, from 343 Brunson Circle one for violation of the noise (12:55 a.m.); Coffee County ordinance and one for reckless EMS dispatched to 211 Adkinson Ave. (9:44 a.m.); Two-ve-Paily activity highlights hicle wreck reported at 1142 Pine Cove (8:20 p.m.); Distur-MONDAY, APRIL 7 - Cof- bance (noise) reported in the fed County EMS dispatched to area of Jones and Jackson 86 Washington Ave. (9:11 streets and Martin Luther King a.m.); Coffee County EMS dis- Dr. (10:46 p.m.); Domestic dis-

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LETTERS TO THE EDITE

Dear Editor. the release of Olin Grimsley. has to endure. There are many Since April 13-19 is National He has done this for many children without a father or Victim's Rights Week, I would other families. He allowed me mother because they were murlike to take the time to reflect to sit at the counsel table to rep- dered. These children need to classes of 1943, 1944, and on my victimization. My resent my Mother during the know they are loved and their 1945 will hold a class reunion mother, Ella Foy Riley, was trials, I didn't think I could do needs met. Reach out to them. on April 26 at 11:30 a.m. at murdered almost 18 years ago, it but God gave me the strength Parents have lost their children Barnhills Restaurant in Troy. We went through five trials in to do it. The victim service of to murder. Parents aren't supless than four years and numer- ficers in the District Attorney's posed to have to bury their chilous appeals. Willie McNair, Office are important to the vic-dren. This is so devastating to one of the co-defendants in tim also. Mrs. Nita Hogg, you parents. Just listen and let them all the way through the US Montgomery. I could not have Sincerely Supreme Court with his appeal made it without VOCAL being Patricia Riley Jones have thought he would have the judicial system and overbeen executed by now. But his whelmed by grief of losing attorneys filed another appeal your loved one, you need that the lethal injection is cruel someone to comfort you and inhumane. Federal Judge through this. You could be a granted him a hearing on this. sault, robbery, identity theft or The Attorney General's Office domestic violence. It's the requested an execution date on same feeling. We need some-Last week presidential candidate Barack Obama addressed a group May 15, 2007. It is caught up one to explain what is happen-

All the attorneys in the office defendant received only ROB- the support staff, the hot check murder, not even murder. What also have other great District ing appeals either. I found out Adams serving Dale and injustice to him. He can't get wonderful, caring, compason work release. If I told all the sionate Attorney General that appeals that he had done, it Alabama has, Attorney General would take up the whole page Troy King. I could not have in the paper. It's unreal what a made it without these wondervictim of crime has to go ful people and VOCAL.

I urge the churches to pray my mother. DA Doug Valeska of the trials. See what a victim is the best in the state. He is CALL

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Obituaries

Death notices updated regularly on our website at <www.elba_clipper.com>

WAYNE WALTER GELINSKLIR.

Jr., age 42, of Elba, Ala., died Auburn (formerly of Elba and Ala. Tuesday, April 8, 2008, at his Greer, S.C.), two daughters: were held April 11, 2008 from Hartselle, Ala., Paula (husband SR:

Survivors melade his father. Payne, Claremont, Calif., Ans death by his parents, Renzo L. comes from giving back to the

Gelinski, Elba, sister: Dawn' nieces and nephews. Michelle Gelinski, Elba, two brothers: Robert Lane Gelin- MALVA M. GULLEDGE. Bertha Harden Ellis; daughter: skt, Grayling, Mich., Michael Mrs., Malva M. Gulledge, Charlene Ellis (husband Joe) Paul Hettinger Jr., Augusta, age 98, of Elba, Ala., died Fri Tharpe; son: Robert E. Ga., three nephews: Hunter day, April 11, 2008, at the Elba "Bobby" (wife Amanda) Ellis White, Elba, Matthew Anthony Nursing Home. and Nicholas Anthony, both of ... Graveside services were held ... Eugene Ellis, Pigeon Forge, Augusta; two nieces: Krystyna April 12, 2008 at the Brundidge Tenn.; four sisters: Betty M. Gelinski and Victoria Het. City Cemetery. The family re. Strickland, Opp, Ala., Merlene tinger, both of Elba, and a num-quests that memorials be made Kelley, Enterprise, Ala., Ivey ber of aunts, uncles, cousins to a favorite charity.

Funeral services were held David Stokes. April 14, 2008 at First Baptist Survivors include two Church of Elba with Dr. Frank Wells, Rev. Bill Cannon and

Rev. Travis Johnson officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery, Elba. Donations in honor of Mr. Taylor may be made to First Baptist Church, Annie Armstrong offering, P.O. Box 507 Elba, AL, 36323 or other charity of choice.

Mr. Taylor was preceded in death by his parents, Pine and Bonnie Taylor, and two brothers Royce Taylor and Ed TaySurvivors include his wife. Sellers, Enterprise, Ala., and various community service proj- for 1st place in the tournament businesses. The hole sponsor-

Stallard officiating Hayes Fu- Ward, Hartselle, Amy (husband Thursday, April 10, 2008, at proceeds will also be going to-

Ala., Jean (husband Ladell) Mr. Ellis was preceded in perience the fulfillment that

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neral Home was in charge of Phillip) Wiley, Auburn, Lori Flowers Hospital in Dothan, wards the largest community King, Opelika, and Samuel Ala: Contributions may be made Liles, Hartselle; four great- Funeral services were held the Elba Rotary Club, the curto the Elba Church of God, grandchildren; seven sisters: April 13, 2008 from the Chapel rent construction of a Habitat for 1222 Davis Street West, Elba; Lucille Mayo; Spanish Fort, of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba Humanity home in Elba. Ala., Annie Laura Wright, with Rev. Hubert McWaters The Elba club is committed to Mr. Gelinski was preceded in Elba, Olene Farrell, Falls and Rev. Larry Grimm officiat- the Rotary motto of "Service death by his grandparents, Paul Church, Va., Frances Bannon, ing Burial followed in the Wa- Above Self' and through the

Wayne Walter Gelinski Sr., nette (husband Harold) Farris, and Mary A. Elizabeth Ellis; community,

Jr., all of Elba; one brother: Grantham and Mattie I

She was preceded in death. Dawkins, both of Elba; five by her husband, Luther grandchildren: Jody Tharpe, JAMES ELMER TAYLOR Gulledge; two brothers, Dana Tharpe, Donna Wise, Mr. James Elmer Taylor, age William R. McDowell and Otic Madison Ellis and Savannah 89, of Elba, Ala, and Auburn, McDowell; her parents, W.B. Ellis; and three great-grand-Ala., died Thursday, April 10, and Cornelia McGilvray Mc children: Avery Tharpe, 2008, at his home in Auburn. Dowell; and one great-nephew. Samantha Tharpe and Chloe

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tournament will be used by the golfer.

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and Margie Gelinski, Lane and Pensacola, Fla., Cupidean (husters Cemetery, Elba, with support of this fundraising effort Margie Wilson and Betty Wil- band Frank) Clark, Enterprise; Hayes Funeral Home directing. club members will be able to ex-

Elba; mother Carolyn Elaine, Jonesboro, Ark.; numerous and three brothers, Rufus Ellis, ... The format for the tournament Jessie Ellis and Louie Ellis. will be a four-person scramble, Survivors include his wife: and tec times will start at 8 a.m.

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Elba Rotary Club sponsoring second annual golf scramble

The Elba Rotary Club is host- and I p.m. There is an entry fee event is Tim Whitehead ng its Second Annual Rotary per player or per team. The Chrysler/Plymouth/Dodge of Golf Scramble on Friday, April entry fee includes green fees, a Enterprise. A new Jeep will be 25, at the Elba Country Club. box lunch, cart, awards recepgiven away for a hole-in-one All proceeds raised from the tion and special favors for each prize the day of the tournament.

nieces: Roylene (husband Bill) Rotary Club to further support Cash Prizes will be awarded available to both individuals and scholarship program benefiting noon flights for the lowest team the course for both the morning graduating seniors from Elba gross and net scores. Current and afternoon rounds.

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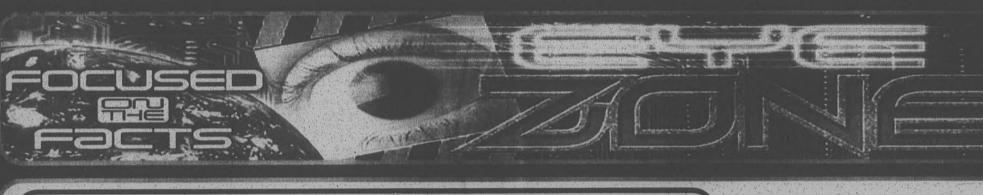
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The Great 1906 San Francisco Earthquake and Fire

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IT HAPPENED THIS WEEK Born on April 15,



I was the illegitimate son of a notary. While best know as an artist, I was also an inventor and scientist. For example, in 1485 I drew a sketch based upon one of my ideas. Nearly three hundred years later others perfected it, calling it a parachute. I also drew sketches of flying.

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was Prince Rainler, who reigned from 1950 until his death in 2005. In 1956, he married the former Grace Kelly, a Hollywood movie star. She brought worldwide attention to Monaco, and it became a world famous playground for the wealthy. Find out more about Monaco at http://tinyurl.com/dint5

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Elliott-Lawford wedding held at Ino Baptist Church

ing Lyndsay Kathryn Lawford and Joshua Seth Elliott took place on Saturday, October 6. 2007 at four o'clock in the afternoon at Ino Baptist Church in Kinston, Alabama. The Reverend Garry Winstead officiated the ceremony, Music for the ceremony was performed by Mrs. Carol Windham, Pianist, Mrs. Susanne Markel, Flautist, Mr. Christopher Duane McMahan, Guitarist and Vocalists Mr. Dustin Lee Hardy and Miss Magen Brooke Green. Mrs. Micha Winstead Carnley served as the Wedding Director.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Lawford of Elba, Alabama. She is the granddaughter of Dorothy Taylor and the late John B. Taylor, Sr. of Enterprise, Alabama and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lawford of Elba, Alabama.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lynn Elliott of Enterprise, Alabama. He is the grandson of June Tucker and the late Jimmy Gene Tucker of Niceville, Florida and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Taylor Elliott of Enterprise, Alabama and the great grandson of Mr. Daniel Joseph McNew of Melbourne, Florida.

Upon entering the church foyer, guest were greeted by program attendant, friend of the bride, Miss Cortnee Breann Driggers, of Elba, Alabama and invited to register by the guest book attendant, cousin of the groom, Miss Miranda Lynn Green of Louisiana. The choir loft of the church

held two massive cuts of pink stargazer lilies, larkspur, snapdragons and orange roses. The church platform featured threefive branch bronze candelabras form on both sides each held hurricane lamps with pillar candles and swags of matching flowers. The front pews were marked with gerbera daisies and asparagus springerri fern. A labama and Miss Helen Kerri Lawford, of Magnolia, arkee branch candlelabra holding three unlit candles for the unity brivice stood to the left on the bride, Miss Mallory Allen, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama and Miss Kristin Barnes, of Auburn, Alabama. They wore short mocha of her son, she was led to the candlelabra to light one of the can

Given in marriage by her father, mother and bordner, Lyndsay was escorted into the sanctuary on the arm of her father. She wore a Monigue Luoformal gown of ivory organza, beaded lace and tulle. The strapless bodice of traditional beaded lace continued to the hipline where the A-line ksirt of tulle fell in romantic vertical ruffles. Her hair was adorned with a cream topaj headpiece of freshwater pearls, natural glass pearls and Austrian crystals. Behind the headpiece flowed a cathedral length veil of ivory or separals from chocalast power a langel pink gerbera daisy, Jendist gleges. She carried an osegay of or orange and hot pink gerbera daisse with orange and hot pink gerbera daisse som to compose the determination of the proportion of the



Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Seth Elliott

Attending the bride as matron Mr. Tyler Tucker Elliott, of Enholding pillar candles with of honor was the groom's terprise, Alabama and brother of ful gifts and gift cards. The swags of matching flowers, while the three steps to the platform on both sides each held

Cousin, Mrs. Brandi Nelson the bride, Mr. Joshua Wayne

Lawford, of Troy, Alabama,

Bridesmaids were cousin of the groom, Mr. Jake

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ated by the Groom's grand-

mother, Mrs. Seth Taylor Elliott.

DJ's from 823 Productions

introduced the wedding party and entertained the guest with

"oldies but goodies" from the

gazebo as the guest and wedding party danced on the deck.

Lyndsay and Josh led off the

dancing choosing the song "You and I" by Michael Buble as their

first dance as husband and wife.

Lyndsay and her father then

danced to "I Loved You First"

by Heartland. Josh, Lyndsay's brother, toasted the couple of-

fering them best wishes for their

future. As the guest were leaving, they were invited to stop by

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Shoppe." to fill their favor bags using the heart engraved miniature scoops. The chocolate and pink striped table held over 13 types of favorite candies in var-

ious jars and pails. As they left the reception, Josh and Lyndsay were showered with rose petals and bubbles. After honeymooning in Gatlinburg, Tennessee, they are currently residing in Andalusia,

Nuptial Parties

A "basket theme" shower was held on August 11, 2007 at the home of Gary and Jenny Allen. Also hosting the party were, Debbie Curran, Melissa Flowers, Tammy Driggers, Mandy Collins, Lynn Weeks, Ceina Spicer, Rene Lambert, Susan Barnes, Nancy Crowe, Laura Terrell and Candace

Guests were treated to a barbecue buffet and were seated at brightly covered tables throughout the patio and yard. Gerbera daisies in colorful jellybean filled containers were featured unique baskets and shared their grill and accessories.

Lyndsay with a handyman wedding will be held on Satur- vited to join them. shower at the Enterprise Civic Center on Saturday, August 25, 2007. After registering on sandpaper, the guest helped themselves to a variety of party foods creatively served in toolboxes, children's wheelbarrow, etc.

of her son, she was led to the candelabra to light one of the unlit candles signifying the two families.

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After the exchanging of vows and they carried chose to light a unity candle with many beautiful and "intersion" of Daphne, Ala., formerly of Da

men were brother of the groom, Guest were also seated in tables ding, October 6, 2007, Jenny Constitutional Reform Foundational Reform Foundation in the film. outside the tent along the yard and along the banks of the lake.

Allen and Betty Lawford treated tion is delighted to announce a ative, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a stive, entertaining, and educational treatment of the "It's a still treatment of the still treatment of the "It's a still treatment of the "It's a st and along the banks of the lake. At the center of the tent, the brides table featured a 4 tiered hexagon and round layered chocolate brown and ivory cake with each layer circled with gerbera daisies and roses and topped with a cluster of orange and pink roses. The cake was monogrammed with the bride and grooms new initials "LEJ."

The groom's table featured a Lyndsay and her attendants to a bridal brunch as they were pambred at the Tangles Salon by Melissa, Chara and Kaci. The Alabama's 1901 Constitution.

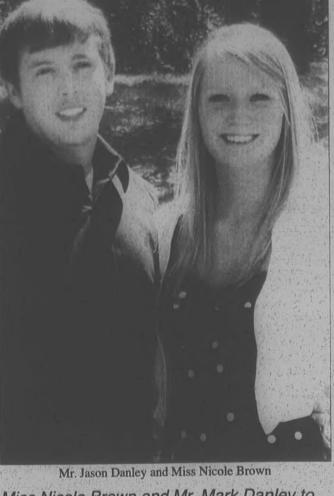
This How and powerful look at Alabama's 1901 Constitution.

This 45-minute movie will issues of constitutional reform." Said Mark Berte, the Grassroots Education Director for the ACCR Foundation.

People will have an enjoyable experience while learning something new about Alabama's current constitution. The groom's table featured a two tiered light chocolate cake ries on camera! public. Computing on camera! topped with strawberries cre-

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on the tables. Everyone enjoyed the creativity of the guests as Miss Nicole Brown and Mr. Mark Danley to Lyndsay and Josh opened the be united in marriage on Saturday, April 19th

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown, Jr. day, April 19, 2008, at half past contents. The hostesses presented the couple with a gas of the Zion Chapel Community of the Zion Chapel Cha Cathy Nelson, Brandi Nelson announce the forthcoming mar- Boothe, Highway 87, Elba, Al Johnson, Jenia Green and Louise Elliott honored Josh and

Brown and Jason Danley. The All friends and family are in



datases with orange and not pink roses. On her arm, she wore a borrowed pearl bracelet belonging to her aunt, Susan Lawford.

baby pink and chocolate brown all as Josh presented his wedding party with thank you gifts.

Mr. Perry Lynn Elliott served daisies and votive candles.

Cuest were also seated in tables.

views mixed with insightful tact: Mark Berte, Grassroots narration explaining the com- Education Director, Alabama plex issues about the Alabama Citizens for Constitutional Re-Constitution, "It's a Thick form Foundation, P. O. Box Book" quickly captures the 10746, Birmingham, AL 35202, viewer's attention and clearly call (205) 266-3371 or e-mail

abama's current constitution. Comprised of candid inter- For more information, con-



CHURCH & AREA NEWS

Gospel Singing planned at Shiloh Baptist Church Shiloh Baptist Church will Akridge as he gives his testihold a Gospel singing on Satur- mony and ministers in song and day, April 19, at 7 p.m. The music.

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event will feature Gunter Everyone is invited to attend. Gospel Concert set for April 26 at Vanderbilt Holiness Church

Vanderbilt Holiness Church Coffee County Route 114 about THINKING OF YOU, Friend Speaketh The Truth, will be having a Gospel Conone (I) mile past Wayne Farms.

PRAYING FOR YOU: DimThe scriptures for the event will tor of Higher Ground Baptist 3970 cert with "The Giles Family" For more information call itri (Skoochie) Crttenden, Mary be Proverbs 1:29 and Jeremiah on April 26, 2008 starting at 334/347-0569 or 334/894 E. Holley, Rev. J.M. Bryant, 27:9-11. 6:00 PM: Church is located on 5021.

Westview Assembly of God to hold revival APRIL BIRTHDAYS: Bessie Missionary Baptist Church, Lu- at Harris Temple services April 20-23

Church, located at 106 Grover p.m. The evangelist will be field-April Street, Opp, Ala. will hold re- Mike Medley. vival services April 20th-April For more information call THE ANNUAL YOUTH RE- Church, Elba, Ala. on Sunday, April 14-18, 2008. This confer- 334-897-3862 or 334-393-23rd Services on Sunday, April Pastor Phillip Rayburn at 493- VIVAL WILL BE HELD AT April 27, 2008 beginning at ence will be held at Harris 2168. 20th will be held at 11 a.m. and 6853 or 493-3978. 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday

Chestnut Grove United Methodist

There will be a gospel For more information con- "Glowing and Growing For wood, Ala. will be held Tuesday-Elder Jimmy Allen, For more information visit singing at Chestnut Grove tact Gus Grant- (334) 897-6793 Christ" and the scripture is Sunday, April 27, 2008 begin- Thomasville; Wednesday, www.harristemplecogic.org. United Methodist Church on or 465-5555, or call Bill Psalm 34:11. Saturday, April 19, 2008 begin- Daughtry- (334) 735-2010. ning at 7 p.m. The featured The church is located on FAMILY AND FRIENDS terson, pastor of Greater New singing group will be The Jeff County Road 110 (between DAY WILL BE HELD AT Zion Baptist Church, Elba, Ala. Treece Band from Knoxsville, Hwy 125 and Hwy. 167).

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Williams- April 18, Jeanette verne, Alabama. Westview Assembly of God night services will begin at 7

Horstead- April 19, Brenda
Brooks- April 19, Jessie Whit- THE ANNUAL CHOIR AN- Church of God In Christ Ala- Friday-Supt. W.K. Ellison-

speaker will be Rev. W.L. Pe-

two night youth revival

begin at 6 p.m.

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SHADY GROVE AME 2:30 p.m. All groups, choirs Temple C.O.G.I.C. in Elba, AL. Harris Temple will also be Church, Elba, Ala. on April 16- and soloists are invited. The conference will begin at 7 celebrating its Annual Family Jeff Treece Band to be in concert at nightly. The evangelist of the nightly service May 4, 2008 during the 11 a.m. week will be Rev. J.E. Reeves, NIVERSARY FOR REV. will begin at 7:30 p.m., Confer- Morning Worship Service. All Freemont A.M.E. Church, Eu- JOHN M. BRYANT, Friend- ence speakers are Monday- family and friends are invited faula, Ala. The theme will be ship Baptist Church, Glen- Supt. John Grayson, Selma; to attend this fellowship.

ST. MARK BAPTISt Church,

Glenwood, Ala. on Sunday, Today is a good day! Be grate-April 20, 2008 beginning at 2 ful. p.m. The themes will be "The

Wings of Deliverence Ministries will hold sponsor the 6th annual "Boll 25th, from 4:00-8:00 p.m., at

Ministries (Headland, AL) will Ala. on Friday night and Min. be hosting a two-night youth Johnathan Lockett, Elba, Ala. there will be a 5K Fun Run. mentary continental breakfast revival featuring the Now Gen- on Saturday night. The host The "Boll Weevil 100" bike available All bicycle riders will eration Alliance. The event will pastor is Pastor Bowers. be held on April 18, 2008 at 7
p.m. A cookout will be sponsored by the church and the sored by the church and the N.G.A. on Saturday morning at (334) 797-4644, email thenowall bicycle events will be 7:30 (334) 347-9713 or visit the

Speakers for the revival will generationalliance.

District Board meeting is Thursday, April 17th The Coffee County Soil and 87, Elba, Ala. The Board will Water Conservation District discuss routine business and Board meeting will be Thurs- will review the status of conday night, April 17, 6:30 pm. at servation programs in Coffee Catty Corner, 7815 Highway County.

You'll be glad you did!

Reach The Planet Crusade scheduled at Ino Baptist Church for April 21-23 Reach The Planet Crusade is Church, Kingsport TN and

scheduled at Ino Baptist Robert Smith, Beeson Univer-Church, 6157 Hwy 134, Kin- sity,

ston, Al on Wednesday, April There will be special music 21-23, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. each evening with Rod Propes. Speakers for the crusade wiff Bekkie Smith and Austins est Resources" and "A Good be Evangelist Jamey Ragle , Bridge. For more information Junior Hill, Phil Hoskins, pas- call Ino Baptist at 334-565-

The guest minister will be Rev. Annual District Conference being held

NIVERSARY will be held at bama Jurisdiction #1 will have Conference Host. For more in-Bethlehem Missionary Baptist its Annual District Conference formation please contact

ning at 2:30 p.m. The guest Elder Terry Ball, Tuscaloosa;

6th Annual Boll Weevil100" Bike Ride set for Saturday, April 26th

proudly announces they will for registration on Friday, April Weevil 100" Bike Ride, Satur- the Enterprise Civic Center. day, April 26, 2008, to take The bicycle route may be The Wings of Deliverance be Bro. Justin Trawick, Troy, place through the beautiful hills driven the day before Regis Ministries (Headland, AL) will Ala, on Friday night and Min. of Coffee County, Alabama. In tration continues Saturday from

12 noon and also that night. g e n e r a t i o n a l a.m. with the Fun Run starting website at www.enterpriselion immediately after the bicycles sclub.com/bollweevil100 immediately after the bicycles sclub.com/bollweevil100 www.myspace.com/thenow- are on their way. All bicycle rid-

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April 18: ECCLA Meeting

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. April 21. 7th, 10th, 12th

rade History trip to Monte

SCHOOLS



Tiger Tales **Editors**:

Erica Daniels & Kelly Corder

Martin McCormick receives full scholarship to Harding University

by Brittany Davis

Elba High School senior Martin McCormick, son of Melissa McCormick and James E. McCormick, grandson of Doug and Elaine Martin, received a full scholarship offer to Harding University in

Arkansas. Harding University is a division two school. Martin will be joining the Harding University football team to play college

ball next season. While at Elba High School, Rials, head football coach for L Martin has started each football the Elba Tigers. "The ball is in game for the past three seasons. Martin's field to now succeed at "Martin can do whatever he his future career."



Martin McCormick

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Ryan Pope was not made avail- Goshen (Away) Spotlight. **

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CCYLP graduation ceremony held recently

by Megan Sullivant

After many months of meeting new people and making new memories, the members of the Coffee County Youth Leadership program said their final good byes recently as the program came to a close for the

Monday, April 7, students involved in the leadership program celebrated with a graduation ceremony. Mrs. Susan Steck opened with the welcome, followed by different students speaking about the sessions they attended through the year's events.

Following the summaries of the year, Mrs. Steck and Mrs. Stanley Walker presented every graduate with a framed certificate. This program would not be a success without the help of

Student

by Tiffany Bynum

Ryan is the 16-year-old son 2266) of Phil and Nancy Pope. His hobbies include hunting, fish-

He is a member of the Basin ports go home Baptist Church youth group. • April 25, Field Day at EES An interesting fact about . April 29, Muffins for moms/ Ryan is that he has a twin Doughnuts for dad at EES ** Editor's Note: A photo of • April 22 - (Varsity) Elba vs. In order to receive this schol-

nament (Home) April 22 - 1:00 @ Tartan Pines (New Brockton). • April 24 - 1:00 @ Troy goon Park) May 5 - Sub-State @ Mont-

Straughn (Away)

gomery (Cottonwood G.C.) May 12-13 - State Tourna-Troy University awards leadership scholarship to Ashley Carpenter

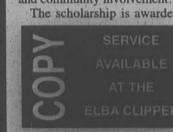
by Kim Blue

the journalism staff. (897-

Upcoming Events

On Feb. 21, Ashley Carpenter received a scholarship agreement from Troy Univer-

Troy University recognized Ashley's accomplishments and was pleased to award her the Troy University Excellence in Leadership Award. This scholarship recognizes Ashley for excelling in her academic pursuits, extracurricular activities for \$2,200 annually and \$1,100 The scholarship is awarded



per semester. The Excellence in Leadership Scholarship is renewable for four years (8 sethrough the spring of 2012, provided that Ashley maintains a 2.7 cumulative grade point

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Coffee County Youth Leadership Program (CCYLP) students show off their graduation certificates following the April 7th ceremony.

Band Day set for Saturday, April 26th Announcements: will be a silent auction on art-

• 2007 Yearbooks are on sale The annual Elba High School The Miss Pea River pageants for \$45. Contact the journalism Band Day is scheduled for Sat- also will be held during the day staff at EHS for more informa- urday, April 26.

tion. Extras will remain on sale. Band Day is the main nine. The pageant for ages 10 to fundraiser for the Elba band pro- 19 will be held at in the high • 2008 Yearbooks are on sale gram. There will be vendors, school auditorium Saturday for \$40 for the next 2 weeks. local entertainment, games and night. Contact the journalism staff at jump-a-roos for kids. All proceeds raised at Band

EHS for more information The band boosters will be Day will go towards gas for cooking hamburgers, hotdogs, football games, new instru-• Elba Hoodies and T-shirts are chicken fingers and funnel ments, music and many of available, Long-sleeve T-shirts cakes to go along with the bar- other things. This week's student spotlight are \$12 and \$13 and Hoodies beque plates sold by each band. Citizens are encouraged to are \$20, \$21, and \$22. Contact member. Also this year there support the Elba band program.

Yoquesha Terry receives Alabama ing and chilling with friends. • April 23, EES Progress Re State University Dean's Scholarship

> by Megan Sullivant This year's recipient of the Alabama State University Dean's Scholarship is Yoque-

arship, the student must have a able for this week's Student • April 24 - (Varsity) Elba vs. minimum grade-point average of 3.26-3.50 in academic sub-• April 25 - (Varsity) Elba Tour- jects or an ACT score of 21-23. • April 26 - (Varsity) Elba Tour-full tuition, required books for a maximum of eight semesters for freshmen and a maximum transfer students.

Yoquesha had to write an April 28 - Section Golf Tour- essay describing her educanament @ Montgomery (Lational goals and career objec-

Elba Elementary School Menu BREAKFAST Monday - Cinnamon Bun Cheese, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Yoquesha Terry

Tuesday - Waffles w/Syrup Link Sausage, Cereal, Juice, Wednesday - Cinnamon oast, Cheese, Cereal, Juice, Thursday - Biscuit w/Jelly,

Sausage Patty, Cereal, Juice, Friday - Cheese Grits, Toast & Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Monday - Nachos, Corn on Cob, Black-eyed Peas, Salsa, Fruit Cocktail, Milk luesday - Grilled Chicker Sandwich, New Potatoes Peas & Carrots, Sliced

Thursday - Hoagie, Oven Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Dill Pickles, Applesauce Cake, - Lasagna, Green Buttered Carrots, Crackers, 1/2 Apple, Milk

Crackers, 1/2 Orange, Milk

Miss Pea River Pageants set for Saturday, April 26th

The Miss Pea River Pageants will be Saturday, April 26, in Elba. All proceeds will benefit the Elba High School band. The pageants for five age divisions will be at 10 a.m. on the

square in Elba during Band Day 2008. These age divisions include: Baby Miss (Ages 0-11 months); Tiny Miss (Ages 1-2); Tot Miss (Ages 3-4); Little Miss (Ages 5-6) and Young Miss (Ages 7-9). Attire is Sun-Beginning at 6 p.m. that

evening, the pageants for three additional age divisions will be held at the Elba High School auditorium. These age divisions include: Junior Miss (Ages 10-12); Teen Miss (Ages 13-15); and Miss Pea River (Ages 16-19). The attire is pageant dress. Age will be based on contestant's age as of the day of the pageant (April 26). The deadline to enter is Thursday, April

24, at the pageant practice.





by Carolyn and Cera Mary Herbert

When is your birthday? How long have you been teaching? 37 years What is your favorite thing teaching?

pear to understand and like what What are your hobbies? Reading, sewing, crocheting What clubs/organizations are you involved in? NEA/ in "Read a Story." She received

AEA/ CCEA/ Delta Kappa the Bronze medal. many years of teaching and rais- medal. ing two responsible good citizen Family and Consumer Sci-

by Summer Parker

said, "why would I tell this"? Do you have any children? If so, how many? Two - one

Dothan Auburn or Alabama? Auburn

Anything else interesting or unique that you'd like to share? I plan to retire at the end grandchildren. Jane Coale

July 25 How long have you been Nelson, Dayton White What do you think about Erin Dismukes, Paige Gibson,

Zion Chapel? It place to What is vorite thing

teaching? One of the most re- Peters, Jonas Simmons, Brooke warding parts of teaching is Stinson, Caitlin White hearing positive remarks from ten in Sr. high and even after of the good things about work- son, Kyle Kelley, Ethan Lott, Tankersley ing at a small school to watch my students grow up. It doesn't

What are your hobbies? Fishing, swimming, horseback riding, and spending time with my family. I have a very busy

What clubs/organizations are you involved in? Delta Kappa - Gamma - CCEA NEA - AEA

What is your biggest achievement? Finishing my college education and getting my master after I married and had three children - not an easy SGA members work to

raise money for Coffee County Relay for Life

by Kayla Crook & Candice Allen Zion Chapel Student Govern-

ment Association (SGA) will be

participating in Relay for Life on May 16, 2008. The members have been working hard to raise money for the special event by selling chances on a \$250 gas card and a Troy University gift package including two shirts, a hat and the New Orleans Bowl football

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Zion Chapel by Rod Rider and Wes Senn through 6 participated in a mensions, and it could be on

School REBEL NEWS

Julie Norris, Sponsor Sheena Hussey, Editor

FCCLA members attend state meeting by Brittany Layton & ences teacher and FCCLA sponsor, Joan Hobbs, attended Brittany Cardwell this trip as well. All of the The Zion Chapel Chapter of members, parents and advisors

Family, Career and Community had a wonderful time.

Leaders of America (FCCLA) attended the annual state meet-**Prom Update** ing March 28 and 29. 15 members attended the by Tiffany Bryan & neeting in Bessemer, Ala. Two Stephanie Berry of the members competed in the

unior level competitions. Melisa Edmonson competed Paris Sanders competed in

p.m. and end at 11 p.m. and Paula Fitzgerald.

competed in the FFA forestry members prepared for the com-

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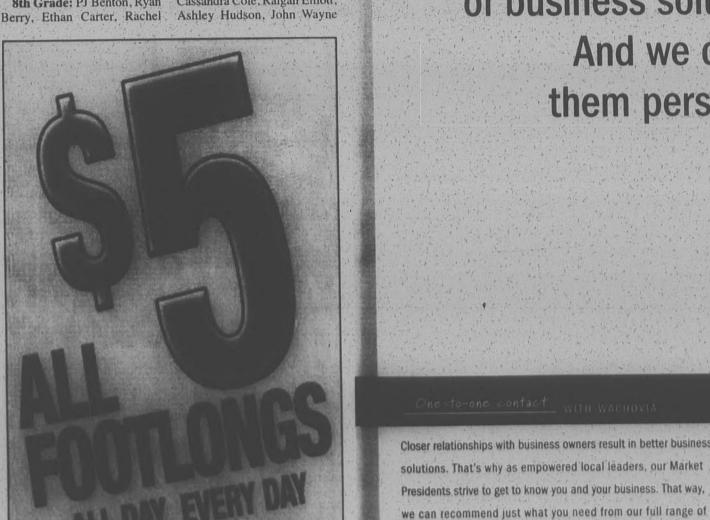
Knighten, Alex Spear, LeAnna Miles, Gin Miley, Courtney Napper, Cassandra When is your birthday? 8th Grade: Ashleigh DeSan- Nelson, Kelsey Nelson, Markel dro, Huey Green, Cheyenne Senn, Caleb Walden, Zack 9th Grade: Brandon Barn

hill, Hillarie Davis, Faith Ketcham, Derrick Sanders, Alexus Senn, Brooklyn Trahan 10th Grade: Elizabeth Bonchi, Sierra Bush, Dillon Davis, Hillary Davis, Heather Hines, Logan Leverett, Nicole Napper, Landan Peters, Josh Richards, Brittany Simmons,

> 11th Grade: Shane Barnhill, Carolyn Becker, Gatlin Carnley, Cory Carter, Kirsten Collins, Haley Ellis, Nessrin

Sierra Parker, Brennen 12th Grade: Marissa Schindler, Allyson Senn 8th Grade: PJ Benton, Ryan Cassandra Cole, Raigan Elliott,

Bludsworth, Brittany Cardwell,



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ZC student places second in state in poster contest

statewide poster contest in any idea pertaining to child April is Child Abuse and honor of children who have abuse or neglect, Neglect Prevention Month. been abused or neglected. The The due date for all entries All students in grades 4 poster had to fit the required di- was March 3. Each school had



REBELS OF THE MONTH (by Misti Miller)...The April Rebels of the Month were nominated based upon academic excellence, classroom behavior and good character qualities. The The 2008 Junior-Senior Prom . April Rebels of the Month are; seventh grader Kennedy will be held at the Pike County Sanders, age 13, the daughter of Pat and Tabitha Sanders; eighth Cattlemen's Association build- grader Amy McWaters, age 13, the daughter of Wyman and Lisa ing on Friday, May 9. McWaters; ninth grader Kelli Behrens, age 14, the daughter of Lead-out will also be held Donna Arnold; tenth grader Lance Walden, age 15, the son of April 24: PTO-ZCCLC

What is your biggest the Focus on Children event there and will start at 8 p.m. Be- Stevie Walden and Paula Fitzgerald; eleventh grader. Lindsey Meeting 6 p.m.; 4" grade field achievement? Completing this and she took home the Silver cause prom is not being held at Amlong, age 17; the daughter of Jeff and Jennifer Amlong; trip to Montgomery, Kinder-Zion Chapel, it will start at 8 twelfth grader Hunter Walden, age 17, the son of Stevie Walden garten Registration

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Zion Chapel High School (Grades 7-12)

Honor Roll for 3rd Nine Weeks "A" Honor Roll and spend lots of time with my 7th Grade: Heather Brun- Dean, Charlsie Little, Erica Areol Leverett, Ashley Snellson, Elizabeth Carnley, Lauren Logan, Amy McWaters, grove, Harry White

> Stephanie Williams 9th Grade: Kelli Behrens,

Kayla Hurd 10th Grade: Rebecca Hodge, Nicole. Holloway, Nicole Mauldin, Heather Mc-Collough, DaiJia Wu 11th Grade: Amber Grissett, Christen Patterson 12th Grade: Stephanie Col-

ier, Brittany Dismukes, Tori Hodge, Sheena Hussey, Luke 7th Grade: Fischer Crowell, Krainau, Jessica Lee, Andrew

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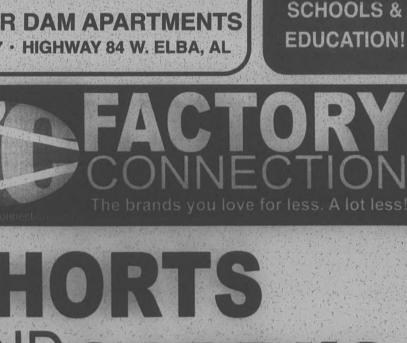
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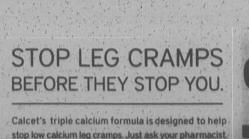
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MORE PUBLIC NOTICES

STATE OF ALABAMA Coffee County. COUNTY OF COFFEE Notice is hereby given that a bill are repealed.

Section 3. This act shall be
Excepted Parcel No. C: A par
PARCEL TWO:

Relating to Coffee County; to provide for the establishment of IN THE PROBATE COURT the Coffee County Law Library OF COFFEE COUNTY, and Judicial Administration Fund; to provide for the use of CASE NO: PC08-013 the fund; and to further provide for the operation of the county NOTICE OF PUBLICATION law library.

tion Fund shall be expended by

tive administration of justice,

ignated by the presiding circuit judge shall administer the Cof-

property of Coffee County. The

law library. The purpose of this

Section 1. (a) In Coffee County, there is established the "Coffee County Law Library and Judicial Administration Fund." The fund shall consist of any existing or future law library fees assed as court costs, funds appropriated to the proceeds from the sale of books or other material or property, acquired from the law of April, 2008.

Section 1. (a) In Coffee County, orable William 0. Gammill Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, notice is the percel herein described; the parcel herein des

(b) The Coffee County Law Li- /s/ Larry Maddox brary and Judicial Administra- Personal Representative the Presiding Circuit Judge of 4/10, 17, 24-pd.

NOTICE

and related technology, judicial robes, public address systems and components, audio recording equipment, cost of securing ing equipment, cost of securing tate hereinafter described to se- line of the Jerry C. Fuller lot; Attorney at Law the attendance of witnesses, cure an indebtedness thence running in a Northwest- P.O. Box 311166 paying reasonable cost of mediators, special masters and referees, registration fees, other actual expenses incurred by judges and court employees in CPR and indebtedness described therein, said mort-gage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, a point on the SE right of way line of the Elba-Troy paved Facsimile: 334-393-5247 by judges and court employees in OR Book 70A page 679 et Highway to a concrete highway

attending seminars, institutions, seq.; and conferences, and other meetwhereas, default has been number PCT140+00; and ings in connecting with continuing legal and judicial education, ing legal and judicial education, payment of the indebtedness end of the indebtedness membership fees, dues in legal secured by said mortgage right of way line of said Elba-and judicial organizations, pay- and/or in the performance of Troy paved Highway a distance TOMMY EUGENE RATTON, ing salaries of court employees the terms of said mortgage, and of 464 feet, more or less, to the DEFENDANT when necessary for the efficient operation of the courts, paying the cost of mediators and reference operation of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the clost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts, paying the mortgage of land is bound on the West by the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of mediators and reference operation of the courts and the cost of the ees for indigent parties, actual sell, under and by virtue of the on the North by property of curred by the judges of the Circuit and District Courts of Coffee County for the efficient promotion of legal and judicial competency, actual expenses

Curred by the judges of the Circuit and District Courts of hours of sale on Tuesday, May Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway, and partly by the West side of the Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway, and partly by the West side of the Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway. as determined by the presiding County Courthouse, in the City South by a strip of land being

described as follows: actual expenses of the judges and court employees including. All the NW1/4 of SW1/4 lying but not limited to, transportation East of the Elba-Troy Highway: costs, meals and lodging while traveling on official business or when ordered by the Chief Jus-when ordered by the Chief Jus-w town or the city of their official SE1/4 of SE1/4 lying West of being more particularly deagainst you.

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(c) The presiding circuit judge or a circuit or district judge designed by the presiding circuit. which excepted parcels are de-

scribed as follows: scribed as follows:

fee County Law Library and Judicial Administration Fund. The presiding circuit judge shall authorize all disbursements from the fund which shall be paid by warrants drawn on the fund signed by the presiding circuit judge. All items purchased from the fund shall be the property of Coffee County. The fund shall be audited in the same manner. Excepted Parcel No. A. A build- and running thence in a North-Coffee County. The fund shall be audited in the same manner as other county funds.

(d) The presiding circuit judge shall be responsible for the administration of the county law library and shall appoint librarians, assistants, and employees for the operation of the law library. The presiding circuit judge may designate the circuit clerk, any other suitable court of said 80 acres of land. This being a parcel of land presently owned by Chester Willis.

Excepted Parcel No. B. That certain parcel of land conveyed by Curtis Eugene Fuller, Sr. and Kate C. Fuller, husband and wife, to Jerry C. Fuller and Judy of 25 feet from centerline) a distance of 250 feet to a point, thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) by Curtis Eugene Fuller, Sr. and West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) by Curtis Eugene Fuller, Sr. and West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) by Curtis Eugene Fuller, Sr. and West side of said Old (unpaved) by Curtis Eugene Fuller, Sr. and West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway; thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway (25 feet from centerline) a distance of 250 feet to a point, thence runnortherly direction along the West side of said Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy Highway (25 feet from centerline) a distance of 250 feet to clerk, any other suitable court employees, or any other person to operate or assist in the operation of the law library. The presiding circuit judge shall appoint an advisory committee consistan advisory committee consisting of at a minimum all circuit judges and district judges of the county and the President of the Coffee County Bar Association. Coffee County Bar Association.

(e) The presiding circuit judge, from time to time, may sell or exchange or otherwise dispose

(b) The presiding circuit judge, the South line of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 32, Township exchange or otherwise dispose

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exchange or otherwise dispose of the books, periodicals, and other property as may be necessary to keep the equipment and property up-to-date and shall transmit the proceeds of any sale to the Coffee County Law Library and Judicial Administration Fund.

6 North, Range 20 East, and running thence in a Northeast-erly direction along the said highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way marker bearing numbers are concreted in Deed Book 52A, at the concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, more or less, to a concrete highway right of way line a distance of 515 feet, mo mencing at the intersection of the South line of Section 32. Township 6 North, Range 20 East, and the West boundary of White Water Creek; thence West along the South line of said Section 32 to the SW corporate of the SW1/4 of SW1/4 ministration Fund.

(f) All purchases by or on behalf of the Coffee County Law Library and Judicial Administration Fund shall be exempt from all state, county, and municipal cales and use or other similar tensor managements. sales and use or other similar taxes. Any purchases of items from the funds shall become pendicular with the East right of ner of the SW1/4 of SW1/4; thence North along the East boundary of SW1/4 of SW1/4 a property of Coffee County. The presiding circuit judge shall tance of 400 feet to a point; distance of 100 feet to a point; have the power to transfer or exchange any of the books, materials, or property with any other state official or state or county agency.

(g) Nothing in this act shall require any set sum of money to be expended on maintaining a law library. The purpose of this thence East and parallel to the South line of Section 32 to the West boundary of White Water Creek; thence 100 feet, more or less, along the West boundary of White Water Creek to the Point of Beginning. All of said property being in the S1/2 of SE1/4, Section 32, Township 6

the West by the Elba-Troy foot strip of land upon which ditions of those certain mort- Section 16, T6N, R20E, being Section 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict with this act last and South by other lands right of way and two power S. SMITH AND WIFE, JEANA Mitchell and Kim Brunson to

introduced in the 2008 Regular come effective on the first day of the third month following its from this conveyance and resession of the Legislature of Alabama commencing after the
fourth consecutive week of publication of this notice and application for its passage and
enactment will be made;

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN
ACT

The MATTER OF
ARTY LORINE MADDOX,
Belating to Coffee County; to

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Letters of Testamentary of said deceased having been granted

DF BEGINNING; thence continue a chord bearing south in Elba, Coffee County, Alawith the East right of way line of the North 10°15′ West along said right of way a chord distance of 134.9 feet; thence North 74°01′ West auction to the highest bidder for a distance of 456.2 feet; thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to a point on the South right of way of the Swilly Swilly Swilling thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to a point on the South right of way of the South right of way of the Swilly Swilly Swilling thence North 10°15′ West along said right of bama, under the powers contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for a distance of 456.2 feet; thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to a point on the South right of way of the Swilly Swilling thence North 10°15′ West along said right of way a chord distance of 134.9 feet; thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to a point on the Swilling thence North 10°15′ West along said right of way a chord distance of 145.2 feet; thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to a point of the script of said at the Courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alawith the East right of way a chord distance of 145.9 feet; thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to an iron rod on said the Courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alawith the East right of way a chord distance of 145.9 feet; thence North 12°18′ East for a distance of 224.0 feet to an iron rod on said the Courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alawith the Courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alawith the Courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alawith the Court

West side of said Old (un- subject property.

Enterprise, AL 36331-1166 Telephone: 334-393-5146

right of way marker bearing 4-10,17,23-chg

Point of Beginning, Said parcel

of 112 acres, more or less.

A lot or parcel of land lying in

Township 6 North, Range 20

BAMA Jerry C. Fuller, on the East part | ELBA DIVISION

you and you are required to aptice and the travel is from the the SW1/4 of SE1/4; all of the fee County. Alabama, and after a default may be rendered LESS AND EXCEPT: Property IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

> James M. Counts, Circuit Clerk lot or parcel of land situated in Deceased. Coffee County, Alabama

3/27, 4/3, 10, 17-chg.

and ROBERT KILCREASE.

STOCKHOLDERS OF FARM-LIVESTOCK COOPERATIVE,

CASE NO. CV-2007-43

/s/ Gypsy Morrow Smith Gypsy Morrow Smith SMITH & SMITH, LLC

4/3,10,17-chg.

way line of said highway a distance of 400 feet to the Point of North, Range 20 East, in Chair.

M. SMITH, to The Peoples Charla McConnell and Terry W Bank of Coffee County dated Maddox by warranty deed

an iron rod on the West Section

recorded in Deed Book 104A.

the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec-

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with the South right-of-way line

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGUse deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of April, 2008 by the Honsel Section 1. (a) In Coffee County,

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lies wholly within the SW 1/4 of circuit judge that are necessary of Elba, Alabama the real es-for the safe, efficient, and effec-tive, administration of judge. above and hereby conveyed filed in the Circuit Court of CofNW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 21, 202 W. Walnut Street contain in the aggregate a net fee County, Alabama, against pear and plead to or answer the and being a part of the N1/2 of same within (30) days of the SW1/4 of Section 32. Township last publication which will be the

> 2008 s/ James M. Counts

Plaintiffs,

west section line of Section 16,

Please take notice that on the 3rd day of May, 2007, a Complaint for held in the SW 14 of Scotland Control of the SW 14 of Scotland plaint for Judicial Dissolution of Cooperative and for Declaratory Judgment in the above styled matter was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Elba Division. An evidentiant determine the proper distribution of the assets of the Cooperative. All stockholders, members, or interested persons who wish to be heard, or who believe that they may be entitled to share in said distrientitled to share in said distri-bution of assets should appear bution of assets should appear at the scheduled begging if they

so desire.

DONE this the 1st day of April. 2008.

Attorneys for Plaintiffs Post Office Drawer 389 Elba, Alabama 36323

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

South 00°43'20" West 198.20 ated in Coffee County, Aladistance of 200 feet to a point; purpose of realizing the mort- OF BEGINNING; thence South particularly described as folthence running West parallel gage debts, together with all ex- 86°06'51" East 365.00 feet to lows: Commencing at the point with the South line of said forty penses of this sale, including a an iron rod; thence North of intersection of the southerly the Twelfth Judicial Circuit, to provide for the more effective administration of justice, including, but not limited to, the pur
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state of Sald forty and acros equipment, materials, trial aids, software, hardware, furniture, fixtures, technology, computers and related technology, judicial Old (unpaved) Elba-Troy High- and/or enjoyment and will be East 486.90 feet along said. South 11°38'23" West 184.90 278.92 feet to an iron rod; an iron rod; thence North thence South 65°27'26" East 65°27'26" West 274.55 feet to 274.55 feet to an iron rod on the northwesterly right-of-way line of Alabama Highway No. 87. an iron rod; thence South thence South 25°04'06" West 72°37'37" East 275.77 feet to 163.88 feet along the right-of- an iron rod, the POINT OF BEway line to an iron rod; thence GINNING. Said parcel lies South 27°38'45" West 89.52 wholly within the SW 1/4 of the feet along said right-of-way line SW 1/4, Section 16, T6N, R20E to an iron rod; thence South and the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4. 34°38"53" West 286.54 feet Section 21, T6N, R20E, Coffee along said right-of-way line to County, Alabama. an iron rod; thence North

51°17'25" West 672.41 feet to Said sale is made for the puran iron rod; thence North ing out of the mortgagors' de-

88°52'05" West 223.00 feet to fault, including attorney's fees. Inne of Sections 21 and 16; thence North 00°43'20" East 1249.79 feet along said Section line to an iron rod, the POINT line to an iron rod on the west section. THE PEOPLES BANK OF CONFIDENT LINE TO SECTION 16:10 line of Sections 21 and 16: COFFEE COUNTY line to an iron rod on the west section.

OF BEGINNING. Said parcel MORTGAGEE the SW 1/4, Section 16 and the ALLEN C. JONES said Sections being in Town- Troy, Alabama 36081 ship 6 North, Range 20 East, ATTORNEY FOR MORT-Coffee County, Alabama: And GAGEE

any improvements made 4-17,24,5-1-chg Conveyed to J. C. and Joann COFFEE COUNTY,
Osbon by warranty deed, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

Page 166, and more particu- IN RE: THE ESTATE OF larly described as follows: One STEPHEN E. HAM,

tion 16, T6N, R20E, being PC 2008-019 lows: Beginning at a point on NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT the west section line of Section TO BE PUBLISHED BY
16 at its point of intersection ADMINISTRATRIX

of Coffee County Paved Road Letters of Administration of said No. 58; and running thence in deceased having been granted an easterly direction along the to JANICE MOSS, on the 8" South right-of-way line of day of April, 2008, by the Hon-County Road No. 58 for a dis-tance of 174 0 feet to a point; Probate Court of Coffee thence running South along a County, notice is hereby given line fence for a distance of that all persons having claims 154.0 feet to a point; thence against said estate are hereby running West along an estab- required to present the same lished line fence for a distance within time allowed by law or

of 155.0 feet to a point on the the same will be barred. T6N, R20E; thence running due /s/ JANICE MOSS North along said west section line for a distance of 183.6 feet

to the POINT OF BEGINNING. 4/17, 24, 5/1-pd. ALSO, LESS AND EXCEPT: DaySpring Hospice to One lot or parcel of land con-

at the scheduled hearing if they conveyed; thence continuing in an easterly direction along the pressions of love. south right-of-way line of Coffee County Paved Road No. 349 DaySpring Hospice continues for a distance for 105.00 feet to serving the residents of a six a point; thence running due South for a distance of 210.00 feet to a point; thence running fee, Covington, Dale, Geneva.

feet to a point; thence running in a westerly direction along a line parallel with the south right-of-way line of County Road 349 for a distance of 105.00 feet to a point; thence running due North for a distance of 210.00 feet to a point; thence running due North for a distance of 210.00 feet to a point; thence running due North for a distance of 210.00 feet to a point; thence running due for professionals are comteet, more or less, to the POINT team of professionals are committed to providing their paclent use of funds in promoting and maintaining the integrity of the Circuit and District Courts of the Circuit and Distr

Elba Division. An evidentiary hearing will be held on April 21, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. at the Coffee County Courthouse in Elba to Section with the south right-of-

SPORTS

VIEWS FROM....

BY RICKY MULARZ SPORTS EDITOR

The semester will end in just a matter of weeks at Troy Univer- area action: sity and hopefully that means the Mularz girls will be home much Elba 5 Straughn 1 - The more often than they have been since the semester started back in Elba Tigers pulled ahead early January. Melanie already has a job and plans on spending most of and then pulled away late to her time back at home, while Melissa is nearing graduation and post an impressive 5-1 win over may hang around to get some classes out of the way during the Straughn, in their area opener. summer. I know the girls are looking forward to the summer, and The Tigers jumped on top 1-0 I am looking forward to having them home much more often. in the second inning when

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH

*** The Elba Tigers saw their area title hopes dashed last week son and scored on an rbi single with a road loss at Straughn and then closed the season with a by Andrew Head. The lead rethree-game losing streak and an 8-14 record after suffering lop- mained 1-0 until the bottom of sided losses to Pike County and Highland Home. The Tigers the fifth, when the Tigers plated needed a win over Straughn to clinch the area championship and four runs to extend their lead to wrap up the homefield advantage in the state playoffs, but self-de- 5-0. An error off the bat of Anstructed with errors in a big loss and then did little but show up in drew Head opened the inning, the 10-run loss to Pike County and the 11-run loss to Highland while Michael Spurlin was hit Home. The Tigers made the playoffs as the area runner-up, but un- by a pitch to put runners on first less the players regroup and come together as a team it will be a and second with one out. Dylan short stay at the post-season party. The parents can sit in their lawn McCollough followed with a chairs behind the fence and blame the coaches for not playing the two-run double to push Elba's right people and having the wrong batters in the line-up. However, lead to 3-0, while Don Rhoades once the game starts it is the players that must make the plays and singled and Richard Cooks they must have the pride to do their best for the sake of the team. reached on a fielder's choice. It is a team sport and the teams that play the best usually win. Both Rhoades and Cooks

*** The Elba Lady Tigers showed signs of life last week with scored on a two-run single by wins over Brantley and Pike County and improved their record to Justin Mallory, and after five 5-7 in the process. The Lady Tigers had lost to Brantley twice ear- innings of play the Tigers were lier in the season and gained a measure of revenge with the win, in command with a 5-0 lead! while the win over Pike County was their second over the Lady Straughn stranded six runners Rhoades had key two-out sin- loss to Straughn. The Tigers McCollough, Andrew Head Bulldogs and kept their area record perfect. There are only two on base in the game, but did get gles to spark the second inning grabbed a 2-0 lead in the top of and Kevin Allen. Don Rhoades regular season games left before the Lady Tiger tournament at on the scoreboard in its final fireworks, while Bradley Wil- the fourth on back-to-back dou- took the loss on the mound as Hawkins-Williams, and if the Elba girls can get a few more wins trip to the plate to make the son added an rbi double and bles by Don Rhoades and he allowed 11 runs (2 earned they just might make some noise when the post-season kicks off in final score Elba 5 Straughn 1. Colton Vaughan blasted a two-Richard Cooks and an rbi sin-runs) on 6 hits and 1 walk.

*** Looking around the area, the Zion Chapel Rebels, New McCollough both had 2 hits the scoreboard in the third, but see Straughn plate four un- The Elba Tigers closed area Brockton Gamecocks and Brantley Bulldogs all made the state and scored I run to lead Elba at the Tigers plated two runs in earned runs in the bottom of the play Thursday afternoon with a baseball playoffs and will swing into action this weekend. The 8th the plate, while Don Rhoades their half of the fourth to go inning to move on top 4-2 after 12-2 loss to the Pike County ranked Rebels claimed a must win victory over area champ Prov- and Andrew head both added 1 ahead 11-1 and claimed the five four innings of play. A 3-run Bulldogs. The Tigers scored idence Christian to get the runner up spot in their area, while the hit and scored 1 run. Don inning win. Gamecocks finished second in their area behind perennial power Rhoades was the winning Richard Cooks hit a pair of Elba back on top 5-4 in the top fifth inning on a two-run dou-G.W. Long and the 3rd ranked Bulldogs won their area and will pitcher as he pitched seven in- two-run homers to lead Elba at of the fifth. However, the ble by Garrett Kyser, but host Zion Chapel this weekend in their playoff opener. With all nings and allowed I earned run the plate, while Bradley Wilson Tigers stranded four base runthree area teams still alive, baseball fans should get the chance to on 5 hits and 2 walks. and Dylan McCollough both ners in their final two trips to and committed six errors as watch some exciting high school action in the days and weeks to Elba 11 Pike County 1 - added 2 hits and scored 2 runs the plate and Straughn plated come. Over in softball, Kinston got its first win in over a month be- The Elba Tigers moved their and Colton Vaughan added 1 three runs in both the fifth and surprising 12-2 win in six infore dropping its next four/games to 6A opponents, and New area slate to 2-0 with an easy hit, scored 2 runs and drove in 2 sixth innings to take command nings. Brockton whipped up on cross-county rival Zion Chapel and may 11-1 win over the Pike County runs. Don Rhoades, Garrett claimed the area title with the Garrett Kyser had 1 hit and just be a team to watch as/the regular season draws to a close. Bulldogs. Richard Cooks Kyser and Michael Spurlin all 11-5 win.

*** The youth baseball and softball leagues opened their sea- belted a two-run homer in the added I hit. Richard Cooks was Justin Mallory had 2 hits, at the plate, while Kyle Pope sons last week and for the Elba teams it was a very busy week for bottom of the first to help the winning pitcher as he scored 2 runs and knocked in 3 added 1 hit and scored 1 run; all age divisions. This season the Elba teams compete against Tigers jump out to a quick 3-0 pitched five innings and al- runs to lead Elba at the plate, and Don Rhoades, Richard teams from New Brockton, Kinston, Zion Chapel, Samson, Brant-lead, and added another two-lowed I unearned run on four while Richard Cooks added 2. Cooks and Justin Mallory all ley and Ariton in regular season play, and even the coach-pitch run blast in the second to high-hits, while striking out 10 bat-hits, scored 1 run and knocked added 1 hit. Richard Cooks was teams get to travel a little as they compete against Brantley and light a six-run Elba outburst as ters. Zion Chapel. Games are played almost every night of the week at the Tigers' stretched their lead. Straughn 11 Elba 5 - The added 2 hits. Don Rhoades had mound as he allowed 9 runs (3 both Legion Field and Hawkins-Williams Park, and everyone to 9-0 after only two innings. Elba Tigers saw the area title 1 hit and scored 2 runs, and also earned runs) on 6 hits, 1 walk should make plans to come out and watch the youngsters play. It Dylan McCollough and Don slip away with an 11-5 road adding I hit for Elba was Dylan and I hit batter. is fun for all!

*** In closing... The Major League Baseball season has started, Up record to 5-7 win out of the bullpen. Wright saw action in four of the Astros first The Elba Lady Tigers hit the Elba 6 Brantley 4 - The got the only Lady Bulldog hit Elba 7 Pike County 1 - The nine games and in one and two-thirds innings on the mound al- field twice last week in high Elba Lady Tigers hosted the in the closing three innings. Elba Lady Tigers pulled ahead lowed only one hit and one run, while striking out two. It is a long school softball action and Brantley Lady Bulldogs last However, the Lady Bulldogs early and never looked back way from Goshen to the major leagues, but Wright obviously has claimed two big wins to im- Tuesday afternoon and held on took advantage of five walks to Thursday afternoon in a 7-1 the right stuff and hopefully will leave his mark. Now that we have prove their record to 5-7 on the late to claim a 6-4 win. Brant- plate three runs and rallied to win over Pike County. a Major Leaguer from the area we may have to at least check the season. box scores every day and see how the old Goshen Eagle is doing Following are highlights of lead in the top of the first on a Brantley 4. against rest of the big leaguers.

Settle for runner-up position

Elba Tigers split against area rivals

the past two weeks for key area battles and split with both Straughn and Pike County to settle for the runner-up spot in the area standings with a 2-2

pitch, moved to second on a

cock, Don Rhoades, Garrett Kyser and Coach Mike Buckelew.

SENIORS HONORED AT ELBA HIGH.... The two seniors on the 2008 Elba Tiger baseball team

were honored last week at the final regular season game. Pictured above are (1-r) Coach Bryan Pea-

homer by Justin Mallory put both their runs in the top of the

in I run and Bradley Wilson tagged with the loss on the

Justin Mallory and Dylan run homer. Pike County got on gle by Andrew Head, only to Pike County 12 Elba 2

Pike County easily claimed the

knocked in 2 runs to lead Elba

and while I am still an Atlanta Braves fan, I am also keeping an eye on the Houston Astros and relief pitcher Wesley Wright. Wright is Elba Lady Tigers defeat Brantley and Pike County

both wins: Customer Service from your Electric Cooperative: A Powerful Connection

ley jumped out to an early 1-0 make the final score Elba 6. Toshamba Jones singled and single by Nicki Bailey and an Lindsey Carnley had 2 hits choice to give Elba a 1-0 lead rbi single by Hillary Hudson, and scored I run to lead Elba at in the second, while the Lady but Elba answered in the bot- the plate, while Molly Tigers plated four runs in the tom of the inning and pulled McGuire, Kala Rials, third to grab a 5-0 advantage. A even at 1-1 when Lindsey Toshamba Jones and April one-out single by April Fine-Carnley led off with a single Finedore all had 1 hit and dore ignited the Lady Tiger and later scored on a two-out scored 1 run. Bethany Wilson rally, while Molly McGuire, single by Ashley Carpenter. An had I hit and knocked in 2 runs Toshamba Jones and Kala Rials rbi single by Molly McGuire and was the winning pitcher as all added singles as Elba took and a two-run single by she pitched six and two-thirds command. Singles by Kayla Bethany Wilson helped the innings and allowed 4 earned Miller and Toshamba Jones and Lady Tigers grab a 4-1 lead in runs on 5 hits and 8 walks. Car- a two-run double by Chessie the second, while Elba upped oline Allen had 2 hits to lead Cross upped the Elba lead to 7its advantage to 6-1 in the third Brantley, while Nicki Bailey 0 in the top of the fifth, and the , with a key hit being an rbi sin- added 1 hit and scored 2 runs Lady Tigers easily held on to gle off the bat of April Fine- and Hillary Hudson added 1 take the 7-1 win.



OUT AT FIRST.... Elba Lady Tiger Toshamba Jones stretches for a throw to retire a runner at first base in recent high school softball action. Jones had 3 hits last week in the lady Tigers' 7-1 win

Toshamba Jones had 3 hits. scored 2 runs and knocked in 1 run to lead Elba at the plate, while Chessie Cross added 1 hit and collected 2 rbi's, Kayla Miller added 1 hit and scored 2 runs, and Bethany Wilson and Molly McGuire both added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Kala Rials, Brandy Caldwell and April Finedore also had 1 hit, apiece. Brandy Caldwell was the winning pitcher as she pitched seven innings and allowed I earned run on 2 hits. with 16 strikeouts.

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base on a steal attempt at last week's clash between the Lady 10-1. Shane Adkison had 2 hits to lead the Gamecocks, while Ben COLLISION IN OUTFIELD.... Elba Tiger outfielder's Don Rebels and the New Brockton Lady Gamecocks. The Lady Game- Tidwell struck out 10 batters and the Rebels blasted a pair of home Rhoades and Andrew Head collided last week in Pike County cocks posted a 10-2 win over their rivals. runs in the big area win (Mike Capps photo)

Scotty Anderson gets checkered flag in SAS super stock feature

By Mark Chisum

South Alabama Speedway opened the regular season Saturday night with a full schedule to promote the dirt track in cided he would rather drive than promote and returned to South Alabama and immediately drove his way into Victory

Anderson started on the pole and led all 25 laps to take the Super Stock Feature win. Ryan Redmon started on the outside pole and chased Anderson all race but keep up with Anderson's fast pace. Anderson mainadvantage throughout the race. Only a couple of cautions could bring Redmon closer to Anderson. However, on the restarts, the seventh starting spot to take over the lead. Gardner held cross the line third. However, the lead for the remaining laps Davis failed post race inspection for being too light and was

disqualified. In the Modified Feature, Ricky Brooks took control of to finish second, although he was no match for Brooks. A late race caution gave Darby one

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flag in the Vintage Feature, led until Spivey took the lead Teddy Sasser took the lead from the point and led until lap 12 when Peel made the winning was third. pass. Jamie Ater had to pit for a but came back to finish third. Jeff Rudd won the 25-lap Street with Rudd leading the first lap and Henderson the second.

the same move and retook the led Zion Chapel with 2 hits, each. lead on the following lap. Sinbut it didn't work this time. away. Gary Davis came from past Singletary on lap 17 and inning as the Eagles clinched the area championship.

> to take the win. In the Coyote Feature, Brent Slawson took the lead on lap

flat right front tire on lap four ture, Burl Brunson passed Allen lead the Tigers at the plate. Cherry with five laps to go to Stock Feature. Rudd and Jody capture the win. Cherry Henderson battled side by side grabbed the lead from the out-

* Baseball * Softball * Golf *** BASEBALL *** Zion Chapel Rebels ease past Eagles 5-4 The Zion Chapel Rebels clinched a spot in this week's state baseball playoffs last week with an exciting 5-4 win over the Providence Christian Eagles. The Rebels trailed 3-0 early, but cut the lead to 3-1 in the second inning after a double by Zach Stephens and an Eagle error, Providence moved on top 4-1 in the bottom of the frame, only to see the rebels get back to within 4-2 in the third when Matt Brunson was hit by a pitch and strolled around the bases on wild pitches and a fielder's choice off the bat of John Wayne Lambert. Zion Chapel pulled within 4-3 in the fifth on an rbi double by Joe Davis, then scored two runs in the seventh to pull out the win. The final inning fireworks were sparked by an Eagle error, a sacrifice fly by Lambert and an rbi single by Davis, who had 3 hits and 2 rbi's to lead the Rebels at the plate. Kinston Bulldogs blanked by Purple Cats 4-0 The Kinston Bulldogs saw their playoff hopes dashed last Tuesday afternoon in a 4-0 loss to the Ariton Purple Cats. Nick Weeks

New Brockton ambushed by Rebels 10-1 The New Brockton Gamecocks ended area play in the runner up OUT AT THIRD A Zion Chapel runner is tagged out at third spot last Tuesday afternoon after falling to area champ G.W. Long

High School

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SPOTLIGHT

New Brockton gets past Zion Chapel 5-4 The New Brockton Gamecocks pushed across two runs in the

top of the ninth and survived a late scare to claim an exciting 56-4 win over the Zion Chapel Rebels, Thursday afternoon at Zion Chapel. The Rebels grabbed a 1-0 lead in the opening inning on an Tourney set for league teams Rudd was able to pull away to a rbi single by Joe Davis and upped their lead to 2-0 in the second comfortable lead for the rest of when Chase Perkins reached on an error and later scored. The Recreation Department will (6-8), Dixie Angels Softball (9-Gamecocks cut the lead to 2-1 in the fifth on an rbi single by Bran-Charles Gardner came from don Byrd, then added two runs in the sixth on a sacrifice fly by the ninth staring spot to win the.

Trey K night and an thi single by Bard to take a 3.2 adventage.

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Team Tournaments on April 26- (11-12) and Dixie Belles Softthe ninth staring spot to win the Roadrunner Feature. John Sin- Zion Chapel pulled even at 3-3 in the bottom of the seventh on sinabama in 2007, opting instead gletary grabbed the lead on lap gles by Zach Stephens and Kendall Chappell and an rbi single by one and enjoyed a comfortable Wesley Black, and that was how the scoreboard remained until the ment director must sign team charged for fans. Deadline to lead for a few laps while Billy ninth, when both teams came back to life at the plate. Justin Farbe Coach-Pitch Baseball (6-8), to enter call Hal Carrington at Maxie made his way through the pack. Singletary and Maxie put on a great show for the fans put on a great show for the fans as they nettled for the lead. On single by Kendall Chappell. The Rebels loaded the bases with one Youth volleyball camp set side of Singletary to grab the ter (7-2) was the winning pitcher as he allowed 8 hits and struck

A volleyball camp for girls in and limited space will be availlead. Singletary executed a per- out 8 batters, while at the plate the Gamecocks were led by Bran- the 4th, 5th and 6th grades will be able. Times of the camp will be fect crossover move to regain don Byrd with 2 hits and 2 rbi's and Trey Knight with 2 hits. Garheld at the E.A. "Moose" Hope 1:00 pm 3:30 pm on May 29

tained a three car length gletary tried the move again, Kinston Bulldogs fall to Providence 3-2 The Kinston Bulldogs battled until the final out Thursday after-While those two were battling noon in a 3-2 loss to the Providence Christian Eagles. Josiah Yance up front, Gardner was making tossed a 4-hitter and struck out 5 to lead the Eagles to the narrow battle on lap 15. Gardner got win, while Nick Plagenhoef drove in the winning run in the sixth

*** SOFTBALL ***

Kinston Lady Bulldogs trip Lady Tigers 6-0

The Kinston Lady Bulldogs picked up their first win in three three and led the rest of the way weeks and moved their record to 5-8-1 last Monday afternoon with to take the win. Crystal Davis a 6-0 win over the Elba Lady Tigers. Neither team managed to get home with the win. Jeff Darby grabbed the early lead before on the scoreboard in the first three innings, but Kinston took ad-Slawson took over. Slawson vantage of two Elba errors to plate six runs in the fourth inning came from the fifth starting spot had to hold off Lon Howell and that was all the lady Bulldogs would need as they held on for over the final laps to secure the the 6-0 win. Sara Mock pitched all six innings to get the win and allowed 5 hits and 4 walks, while striking out 6 batters. Katie Mot-Waylon Spivey took the lead teler had 2 hits, scored 2 runs and added an rbi to lead Kinston at last shot, but Brooks pulled away from Darby to take the win.

In the plate, while Holli Kilcrease added an rbi and scored I run and Amber Smith also added a run scored and an rbi. Getting the Elba Peel captured the checkered grabbed the early lead before hits were Bethany Wilson, Lindsey Carnley, Kayla Miller, Jack Whittle to over. Whittle Toshamba Jones and April Finedore.

on the 17th circuit. Whittle held Lady Bulldogs blanked by Dothan 3-0

on to finish second. Keith Mack The Kinston Lady Bulldogs failed to find the plate last Tuesday afternoon in a 3-0 loss to 6A Dothan. Jo McAlister was the winning In the Mini Sportsman Fea- pitcher for Dothan and Crystal Anderson hit a two-run homer to

*** GOLF ***

for the first few laps of the race laps before Brunson worked his New Brockton places 3rd at Elba tournament way past. Jeremy Geddings The New Brockton Gamecocks competed last week at a tourna-Rudd grabbed the lead for good came from the seventh starting ment at the Elba Country Club and fired a team total of 351 to on the third lap. Once out front, spot to finish second. place behind Andalusia (320) and Charles Henderson (334). Andalusia's Tyler Dooley took medalist honors with a 73, while New Brockton's Steven Smith followed closely with a 74 and Gamecock teammate Michael Redd fired a 75. Other New Brockton scores were an 89 by Josh Roberts, 98 by Coltan Bastion, and a 113 by both Sawyer Whitaker and John Donaldson. Justin Pike led Elba with a 95, while Seth Hanchey fired a 105 and Ashley Sanders

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while tracking down a fly ball. Head held on and made the catch. However, both players did receive minor injuries. The Tigers will travel to Bayside Academy Friday afternoon to met Mobile Christian in the opening round of the 3A playoffs.

(Mike Capps photo)

the inside position and the lead rett Stinson pitched seven innings for the Rebels and got no gym on East Lee Street, in En- and 9:00 am 12:00 pm on on the next lap. Maxie pulled decision, while at the plate Kendall Chappell and Wesley Black terprise, on May 29-30. Regis- May 30. For more information







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I'VE GOT IT A Met keeps his eye on the ball in action last week in Tee Ball action at Hawkins-Williams Park.

Monday, April 21

6:00 - Angels vs. Cubs

6:00 - Mets vs. Cubs

Thursday, April 17

In Zion Chapel,

In Zion Chapel.

6:00 - Brantley vs. Brantley

Thursday, April 17

In Elba,

In Brantley.

In Samson.

Brockton Black

Friday, April 18

In Zion Chapel,

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7:30 - Zion Chapel Gray vs.

6:00 - Brantley Yankees vs. Kin-

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Braves





BAT ON THE BALL A Heat batter puts the bat on the ball in CARDINAL HEAT The pitcher for the cardinals gets ready to (Mike Capps photo) action in the Dixie Darlings Softball League at Hawkins-Williams let one loose in Dixie Youth Baseball League action at Legion

ULES Baseball and softball seasons open in Elba

(Hawkins-Williams Blue Field) DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL Thursday, April 17 COACH PITCH BASEBALL Monday, April 21 6:00 - Kinston vs. Elba 6:00 - Zion Chapel K vs. Elba Pi-

Tuesday, April 22 In Elba (H-W Red Field) 6:00 - Elba D'Backs vs. Brantley 6:00 - Brantley Green vs. Elba New Brockton 4 Storm 1 - Ariton Gold 9 Elba all scored 2. Tyler scored 3 runs Matthews tossed a 1-hitter with 8:00 - Elba vs. Storm DIXIE DARLINGS SOFT- 'early and never looked back to used a big second inning to Wayne and Dalton all scored 2 1 hit and scored 2 runs to lead 6:00 - Zion Chapel C vs. Brant- BALL Thursday, April 17

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Zion Chapel RH In Samson, 6:00 - Elba Yankees vs. New 6:00 - Samson vs. Kinston Or- ston 12-0. Brandon Farnon Friday, April 18 6:00 - Kinston vs. Samson Blue In Elba (H-W White Field) 7:30 - Kinston vs. Ariton Gold

6:00 - Zion Chapel RC vs. Brant- Bryant both scored 2 runs. 6:00 - Zion Chapel Gray vs. Zion In New Brockton, 6:00 - New Brockton Black vs. and coasted to a big 15-5 win Kinston Blue over the Brantley Green. Jenkins and Kyser both scored 3 Monday, April 21 In Samson, runs to lead the Storm, while 6:00 - Samson vs. New Brockton Powell and Parker scored 2. runs apiece. Scoring 1 run for

6:00 - Ariton Purple vs. Zion In Kinston, 6:00 - Kinston Orange vs. Zion Tillis, Holmes and Walker. DIXIE YOUTH BASEBALL Chapel RC Tuesday, April 22 In Kinston. 7:30 - Elba Cardinals vs. Kinston

DIXIE MINOR BASEBALL Elba Marlins 8 New Brock-6:00 - Kinston Blue vs. Zion ton Red 1 - The Elba Marlins Chapel RC 7:30 - Brantley Braves vs. Elba In Brantley, 6:00 - Brantley vs. New Brock- Brockton Red 8-1. C. Stinson crease all scored 1 run to lead Windham both scored 2 runs. scored 1 run. Scoring 1 run for 7:30 - Samson vs. New Brockton DIXIE PONYTAILS S'BALL runs to lead the Marlins, while Goosby ripped a solo home-run S. all had 2 hits and scored 1 son Bullard, Emily Patrick. Harley Sanders and Tripp

Thursday, April 17 In Kinston, 7:30 - Kinston Blue vs. Zion Flowers all scored 1 run. C. Chapel Black Kelley scored the lone run for the New Brockton. 7:30 - Samson vs. Kinston Or- Elba Yankees 9 Ariton Pur-Friday, April 18

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DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL ple 6 - The Elba Yankees COACH PITCH Elba 11 Kinston 1 - Elba pulled ahead early and held on BASEBALL 6:00 - Storm vs. Brantley Green and led all the way to post a big Ariton Purple. Kenneth Neil Rebels 13 - The Elba Pirates Elba 4 Zion Chapel 3 - Elba 8:00 - New Brockton vs. Elba 11-1 win over Kinston. Chace Amison, Dalton Sewell and J. overcame a slow start to pulled ahead early and scored 8:00 - New Brockton vs. Storm Money and G. McGowan all Moseley scored 1 run apiece. P. Peyton Smith, Caleb Walden, scored 1 run to lead Elba, while

down the Storm 4-1. Chris grab the lead and held on for a runs.

lone Storm run. 6:00 - Zion Chapel 1 vs. Brant- rally to claim a 6-4 win over Carnley, Landon Carnley, Isa- Jays, while Avery Webster, run. Courtney Brown had 1 hit lead Brantley, while T. Tew, C. DIXIE YOUTH BASEBALL and Christian S. all scored 1 Chapel and Kari Hurd added I 6:00 - Elba Thunder vs. Elba Kilcrease, J. Owens and A. Morgan all scored 1 run. Scoring 1 run for Elba were Hayes Spicer, Gunnar McCollough, Eric Cole

and B. Bowers. Elba 13 Brantley Green 6 -Elba scored early and often to outscore the Brantley Green 13-6. Jeremy Duncan scored 3 runs to lead Elba, while Gunnar McCollough, Jordan McDaniel and JonAshley Amison all 2 runs to lead the Dolls, while Peters, E. Chancy and D. and Chace Sauls all scored 2 runs. Johnson scored 2 runs for

- New Brockton scored runs in New Brockton Red. A. Fain Rebelettes scored early and scored 4 runs to led New Brock-3 runs and Chris Green and A. apiece. H. Winters, A. Bryant Rebelettes, while Hailey Grant, hit and scored 2 runs to lead ton, while Brackin Hutto scored

Storm 15 Brantley Green 5 run for New Brockton. - The Storm broke loose early Brantley were Barnes, Morgan,

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jumped out to an early 4-0 lead late to post a 9-6 win over the Elba Pirates 17 Zion Chapel scored 1 run.

Green, Chris Winters and Bran- 9-7 win over the Elba Dodgers. Zion Chapel Rebels 8 Elba Elba 8 Zion Chapel 7 - Elba don Farnon all had 1 hit and B. Peavy scored 3 runs for Ari- Blue Jays 6 - The Zion Chapel scored 3 runs in its final at-bat scored 1 run to lead New ton while P. Little, T. Sullivan. Rebels staged a late rally to to rally past Zion Chapel 8-7. Brockton, while Brackin Hutto Q. Smith, D. Barr, R. Manager ease past the Elba Blue Jays 8- Emily Hudson and Arral Scott added 2 hits. T. Reid scored the and T. Pilcher all scored 1 run. 6. Shuman scored 3 runs for the both had 1 hit and scored 2 runs Scoring 1 run for the Dodgers Rebels, while Green and Card- to lead Elba, while Morgan Brantley White 6 Elba 4 - were Logan Davis, Austin well both scored 2 runs. Dylan Matthews and Paris Person The Brantley White staged a late Watkins, B.J. Free, Shawn Boozer scored 2 runs for the both added 1 hit and scored 1 Elba Z. Wiley scored 2 runs to iah Kyles and Troy Funk. Keyonta Fitzpatrick, Trey Funk and scored 2 runs to lead Zion

New Brockton Red 13 Elba Braves 3 - The New Brockton DIXIE DARLINGS Red pulled ahead early and SOFTBALL rolled to a big 13-3 win over Brantley Diamond Dolls 9 the Elba Braves. K. Truitt Elba Thunder 3 - The Brantscored 3 runs to lead New ley Diamond Dolls led all the

scored 1 run for the Braves. E. Tate, K. Smith and Q. Jones Brown all scored 2 runs. Scor-Brockton Red 3 - The Ariton were available for the Thunder. Purple scored runs in bunches Zion Chapel Rebelettes 7 Claire Powell. to claim an 8-3 win over the Elba Heat 6 - The Zion Chapel Elba 13 Rebel Chicks 12 and H. Hughes both scored 3 held on late to edge past Elba 7- its final at-bat to claim a wild runs to lead Ariton, while S. 6. Gabby Hernandez and Lexi 13-12 win over the Rebel Senn and J. Bell scored 1 run Rugg both scored 2 runs for the Chicks. Keavia Daniels had 1

nals 2 - The Ariton Gold pulled Alex Thomas, Kendra Kyles, Johnson and Travia Martin all ahead early and held on late to Emma Curtis, Katelyn Turner scored 2 runs. Bekah Allen. escape with a 4-2 win over the and Mone Martin. Elba Cardinals. Helms scored 2 runs for Ariton, while Stevens DIXIE PONYTAILS and Snellgrove both scored 1 SOFTBALL run. Justin Pope and Brandon Ariton 9 Zion Chapel 7 - held on late to claim a 14-6 win

Beck both scored I run for the Ariton jumped out to an early over Zion Chapel, Alex Daw-Brantley Yankees 3 Elba edge past Zion Chapel 9-7. Cal- Martin, Maddie Chandler, Jess-Cardinals 2 - The Brantley lie Reeder had 2 hits and scored ilyn McKenzie and Cammie Yankees scored late to edge 1 run to lead Ariton, while Jas- McCollough all scored 2 runs pulled ahead early and pulled past the Elba Cardinals 3-2. C. mine Presley added 2 hits and for Elba, while Kirsten White away late to defeat the New Haws, K. Teague and C. Kil- Kennedy Peters and Shelby and Aquanna Fleming both and A. Jordan both scored 2 the Yankees, while Cobe Jessie R., Alex K. and Shelby Zion Chapel Emily Bell, Madi-Tanner Hudson, Grant Akridge, to lead the Cardinals and C. run to lead Zion Chapel, while Summer Pappas, Savannah Johnson also scored 1 run.

added 2 hits and Abby P. and Madelyn I. both added 1 hit and

Sauls and Jeremy Duncan both Cole Spicer all scored 2 runs to outscore the Zion Chapel Rebels the winning run in its final at had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead the Yankees, while Avery 17-13. Kendre Jordan scored 3 bat to ease past Zion Chapel 4lead Elba, while Dylan Seay, A. Hanchey, D. Williams and C. runs to lead the Pirates, while 3. A.J. Whitfield had 2 hits and scored 2 runs. Brent Nobles Herring and T. Ezell both Tanner Skinner, Jake Hickman. Arial Scott and Ty Carpenter scored the lone Kinston run. scored 2 runs for Ariton, Tony Daniels and Isaac Watkins both added 1 hit and Morgan New Brockton pulled ahead Dodgers 7 - The Ariton Gold for the Rebels, while Brett, John 12 strikeouts. McKayla C. had

Zion Chapel.

DIXIE ANGELS SOFTBALL

Ariton 14 Rebel Chicks 3 Ariton pulled ahea (early and) pulled away late to down the Brockton, while H. Winters and way to post a 9-3 win over the Zion Chapel Rebel Chicks 14-W. Cotter both scored 2 runs. Elba Thunder. K. Wilcox, E. 3, C. Turner scored 3 runs to Logan Bailey, Hayden Disotell Bush and L. Johnson all scored lead Ariton, while S. Adams, H. Ariton Purple 8 New all scored 1 run. No names ing 1 run for the Chicks were Kinley Parker, Hayley Cole and

Elba scored the winning runs in and G. Whittaker all scored 1 Kristen Norris and Brandi Falls Elba, while Kirsten White all scored I run. Scoring I run added I hit and scored I run Ariton Gold 4 Elba Cardifor the Heat were Alyssa Kyles, and Alex Dawson, Maggie Jessica Sweet and Riley Boothe

all scored 2 runs for the Chicks. Elba 14 Zion Chapel 6 -Elba pulled ahead early and 6-0 lead and held on late to son, Maggie Johnson, Travia



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10 Years Ago

tist Association.

proposed permit modification

to the county's landfill. The

Tom Grimsley, Doug Dalrym-

sioners Linda Westbrook,

increased the landfill's service

area from a 10-county area to a

34-county area. Also, it would

20 Years Ago

1988 Miss Elba - The annual

Miss Elba pageant was held on

Saturday night, April 9, at the

Elba High School auditorium

and crowned as Miss Elba 1988

was Whitney Wise, the 16-

year-old daughter of Mrs.

Shirley Wise and the late Mr.

· Elba Man found dead in

Pea River - The lifeless body of

an Elba man was found late Fri-

day afternoon, April 8, in shal-

low water near the banks of the

Pea River and preliminary re-

ports reveal that the man appar-

ently blacked out while

walking near the river, fell

down a steep embankment and

drowned. Elba Police Chief

John Ed White reported that the

body of J.L. Eldridge, age 58, a

Jimmy Wise.

· Whitney Wise Crowned as

THE PEOPLES BANK OF COFFEE COUNTY hosted a baseball clinic Saturday, March 29, for derstanding of the fundamental white 12" x 18" paper or poster Association, P.O. Box 311013, boys and girls ages 8-14. The clinic was held as a way to promote the bank's "Builders Club Acprinciples of liberty, justice and board, must be original art Enterprise, AL 36331, attorncount." This is the second year the bank has hosted the baseball clinic for local youngsters, and parncipation doubled this year with 63 youngsters taking part. The coaching staff for the event was the by the Law Day Committee crayons, paints, or other non-Troy University Trojan baseball team. The program was made free to youngsters by the bank.

ganizations in the Dothan area grade reading class recently will be held in 6 centers and

those families and individuals High School Auditorium on Schroeder said. Bus transporta-

March 8 flood. Participating in Haunting of Hathaway House," Hayes To Build New Fu-

years of experience - Seven Tuesday Night After Dark - Tor- struction will be located on roads.

who suffered losses during the March 10. The play, "The tion will be provided.

Killingsworth, teachers Dorsey Trailer used for storage the Southeast.

Stinson community.

progress.

Berry and Pearlie Amison and chicks. One window was bro• Grade school best speller is

central office bookkeeper ken out of their home in the Jon Boswell - Jon Boswell - 12-

• County backs away from
• Council Explores Improved Harry Boswell, emerged Tues-

landfill expansion - The Coffee Cable TV Systems - Cable Tele- day as the champion speller of

a previously approved motion business with the Elba City fashioned Spelling Bee held at

to hold a public hearing on a Council Tuesday night as they the City School auditorium. Jon

40 Years Ago

Dorothy Richardson, Patricia and extensive damage to a

Clark, Ella Kate Hamm, Lynda broiler house with 15,000 baby

Shuffling Through Our Files...

(News Taken From Past Editions of The Elba Clipper)

• Dothan Residents send gifts discovered by a couple fishing Gene Schroeder, Director of the day in field artillery drills. The

to Elba - A trailer load of food in the river and officials were Organized Community Action other units were from Enterand cleaning products were de immediately notified. Program, Troy, Alabama. The prise, Samson, Troy and livered to Elba flood victims . Mrs. Smith's Sixth Grade funds will be used to run 75. Geneva and at the end of the

last week from Dothan. The Class Presents Play March 10 classes in these three counties. day Col. Dorsey pronounced

long-time employees with a nadoes criss-crossed the South what is recognized as Brunson • Approved a resolution al-

total of 220 years of experience on Tuesday of this week and on Tuesday of this week and Hill on the north side of High-

in education submitted their reone touched down north of way 84 East going toward Eninto agreement with the departinto agreement with the depart-

Thursday, April 9th. Those planHarold Hudson report the deded thousand dollars and will from County Road 249 to Aladred thousand dollars and will from County Road 249 to Ala-

ning to retire include Elba Ele-struction of a barn, two corn be one of the most beautiful bama Highway 125. Tindell

vision was the first order of Elba Grammar School in an old

sought an answer to the many is a student in Mrs. Flossie

complaints received by local Harper's Sixth Grade room.

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items were a result of three or- Mrs. Pamela D. Smith's sixth- The Headstart Summer classes the drills a success.

working together to benefit presented a play in the Elba will include 1,005 enrollees,

resident of Wayne Street was Coffee counties, according to Henry A. Dorsey and spent the

year-old son of Mr. and Mrs.

struction Company of Andalu- plore the authority of the county

· sia will begin construction to have man-made obstacles re-

Coffee County Bar Association sponsoring art contest The Coffee County Bar As- nality and expressiveness. All white or in color and should be

the Poster Category and/or category and in each grade the back of the photo. Photography Category.

Project themes must be orig- systems.

based on their creativity, origi- smear mediums are acceptable,

no loose or hanging materials permitted, and each poster must depict the law day theme. A one-paragraph statement describing how the poster reflects the theme should be affixed to the back of the poster. All photos may be black and

ociation will sponsor an art entries must be submitted to the no larger than 8 1/2 x 11, all piccontest in honor of Law Day principal of the student's school tures smaller than 8 ½ x 11 2008. The theme of the day is or the law office of Shannon R. should be mounted on letter "Liberty, Justice, and Equality Clark no later than April 28, size card stock, must be origiunder the Law." Any individual 2008. Winners will be an- nal and exclusive work of the student who is enrolled in pub- nounced on May 1, 2008 and student, and each photo should ic, private or home school in will receive a certificate of depict the law day theme. A grades seventh or twelfth may recognition from the Coffee one-paragraph statement deenter the contest. Students may County Bar Association. Two scribing how the photo reflects submit an entry in either or both winners will be selected in each the theme should be affixed to

from the participating school For additional information nal and depict the students un- Posters must be submitted on President, Coffee County Bar



"Welcome to our team"

(Continued from Page One) Premier Properties Real Estate, L.L.C. the project were: the Interde- an eerie mystery drama about neral Home - A modern funeral and the resolution simply allows would like to welcome the newest member of our team, nominational Ministers' Al mysterious events which had home and chapel is to be built the list to be "cleaned up." Dana Smith, as our Licensed Property Manager, to asliance, Dothan Ministerial no logical explanations, was in Elba by the Hayes Funeral Approved a resolution ask-

sist with all your management needs. Union and the Columbia Bap- presented in three scenes. Home. The Waller Bros. Con- ing the county's attorney to ex- We are currently looking for new rental properties to manage all over the Wiregrass Area. Let us put our experience • City schools losing 220
• Tornado Hits Hudson Farm about May 1. The new conmoved from the right-of-way of to work for you!! We can assist with managing your property as well as helping you find that perfect rental home. Looking to buy or sell? We have qualified agents on duty that can assist you whatever the need. Feel free to drop by tirement requests when the Elba causing at least \$10,000 terprise. The new construction ment of transportation to widen or call any time.

Elba City School Board met damage to a farm. Mr. and Mrs. will cost more than one hunyour real estate needs today:

mentary School principal Judy drying trailers, overturning a and most modern buildings in said this project is being paid for and most modern buildings in by funds received through the SHARE YOUR VIEWS -

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motion was approved March cable citizens who have seen. The victory entitles him to 23rd on a 4-3 vote. Voting for cable service in other towns enter the county-wide contest. the original motion were Com- that impressed them more than • Accounting Office Is missioners Bernest Brooks. Elba's Elba councilmen have Opened In Elba - An accountrequested reports from the pres- ing office has been opened in ple and Kayo Lewis. Commisent system on their plans for Elba by Cecil Daniel, recently improving and have even asked of Andalusia, under the name of Robert Stephens and Len for out-of-town company offi- the Daniel Accounting Agency. Averett opposed the motion, cials to meet with the council Mr. Daniel plans to move his The modification would have on the matter, but report no wife and two children to Elba as soon as he can find living · National Guard of Elba have increased the daily ton- Headstart Funds Awarded Has Drills - Btry. A, 933d Field nage from 700 tons to 1,200 For Coffee County - The Office Artillery Bn., the Elba National of Economic Opportunity has Guard Unit, went to Fort approved a grant for \$185,337 Rucker Sunday where it was for Summer Headstart Pro- joined by other units of the batgrams in Pike, Bullock and talion in charge of Lt. Col.



LOCAL AUTOMOTIVE DEALER RECOGNIZED FOR YEARS OF SERVICE ... Automobile. Zheng dealer Jimmy Cook has been recognized twice recently for his 25 years of service as a Chevrolet 2nd Grade: Chassidy german, Chance Lee Johnson, shay Burks, Christopher Shawn dealer. The plaque being held by Joey Daniels (left), was presented to Mr. Cook and Cook Chevro-Mikayla Barnes, Gavin Rac-Crawford Taft Logan, William Carnley, Keavia Nytia Daniels, let Inc. recently by General Motors. His leadership of the local Chevrolet dealership began in 1983 qual Caldwell, Susan Marie Griffin Martin, Raheem Sen- Dayquan Deal, James Jonathan and continues today. The plaque and letter being presented above to Jimmy Cook is from GMAC or Clark, Destence Cambrea Cole, trelle Newson, Reid Scott Rials, Deboer, Rebecca Lynn Dubuis-General Motors Credit for the same 25 years of service. Presenting the award is Dianne Riddle, of Laken Kymmae Cooks, April Harley Sanders, Ariel Leann son, Paris Blake Edwards, Kay-Prattville, representing GMAC. Pictured above are four members of the Cook management team and Rose Coppage, Christie Griffin, Scott, Nathan Bradley Simplus Gray, Aliyunte Riddle. They are (from left) Joey Daniels, Wynette Rhodes, Cook, Riddle and Greg Gibson.

(Continued from Page One)

Foley addressed the council be completely empty. if it appeared to be a real prob- mayor said the prospective paid by direct deposit. lem, steps could be taken to _ project was to make the downtown more appealing to cus-

trailer this week the park at the buyer would be putting on a

correct the situation. Grimes added that the idea behind the a

completed and the street is child restraint violations. dent that this extra effort by the monds, David Allen Hudson, Ontee Williams

Rogers, Rachel Rebecca Smith, Rayshawn Adams, Tatyana Marie White, A'Jaspin Whit-

Anderson, Jesse Aaron Black- quan Jordan, Robert Clark cia Deann Sanford, Keshawne mon, Kila Renee Boswell, Logan, Kendra Lashae Mary- Ontee Williams Alyssa Danielle Brewer, land, Cammie Athelle McCol- 3rd Grade: Charles Kadar-

Francis, Chanlyn Michelle Alberto Ismael Zavala Kyles, Ashley Jan Layton, Veli-Free, Trey Norris Funk, Victo- 5th Grade: Kristopher Adki- cia Deondra Lockett, Stephan ria Alexis Hettinger, Derrick son, David Dewayne Ardis Jr., Chace Nelson, Juandaris Jamar Hill, Ashton Skyler Hurt, Tay- Kendalyn Amor Belcher, Reed, Xaveon Keshon Reese, lor Danielle Johnson, Willow Kendall James Brown, Karissa Bobbi Ann Simmons, Zachary Rose Johnson, Jakan Rylee Burks, Reyanta Patrease Cald- Day Corey Smith, Robin Kyle, Cailyn Danielle Rose well, Elizabeth Farris English, Yahunnah Shy-Tice Stinson, Lawson, Devonte Ammioun Korious D Foster, Troy Huston Brittney Nicole Thomas, Caleb Lee, Abbigayle Nash, Allison Funk, Octavia Alexis Green, Walden, Kirsten Acquannette Redd Nash, April Skipper, Victoria Shayne Greer, Amanda White, Kaitlyn Alisia Woods Anne Marie Tompkins, Denyia Michelle Grennier, Tiffany 4th Grade: Mary Elizabeth Dionyasia Wilkerson, Kenny Marie Harrison, Emilee Brunson, Erin Marie Bryan,

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3rd Grade: Mason Everitt Tyler Wade Bobbitt, Edward rish, Christopher Donnell parking spaces on the square business interested in the part Grimes also reported success Adkison, Grant Alexander Franklin Brunson, Meleigha Rayborn, Audrianna Michelle with the ongoing downtown of the school behind Tiger Park. with converting payroll checks. Akridge, Emily Andrews, Tyler Onjae Burrows, Hollis Trenton Rodriguez, Kaylene Lauretta beautification project. Mayor
Grimes told him the city would
be monitoring the situation, and
if it appeared to be a real prob
of the school behind liger Park.

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mayor said the prospective
paid by direct deposit.

Jerome Berry, Haleigh Nicole
Carr, Daniel Benton Cash, Britsolution.

Boswell, Aaron Wayne
their monthly checks to also be
paid by direct deposit.

Bradley, Quentin Deshaun
Blake Dawson, Kyson Malik
Sneed, Jaunisha Marqueen Bryan, Keondra Qn'shae Bur- Edwards, Terriyana Goosby, Whitfield, Nijah Cache Alexis Ray Davis, Mason L Davis, wood, Chancey Elizabeth Mar- 5th Grade: Daquon Ahmad citations were issued while three area drivers have gotten ex- Logan Lee Duncan, Robert ler, Morgan Whitney Austin, Miguel Antonio Banks, DUI charges were revealed. 47 tremely lax with obeying the Granberry English, Aquanna Matthews, Damon Coley Nel- Dustin Wayne Bolding, Justin

resurfaced and open. He also Hanchey added that the dilidepartment will remind citizens Charles Nicholas Johnson, Ky
"A-B" Honor Roll noted that all the residents have gence of the department officers of the importance of obeying the ishaudra Jones, Nicholas 1st Grade: David Jason Humphrey, Torrence Lenier moved from the Beaver Dam resulted in three felony arrests, six traffic regulations, and these Rashad Jones, Kelsey L Kelley, Beckworth, Larry Quinterrius Humphrey, Caleb Seth Martin, Trailer Park, and with the misdemeanor and six drug arrests. high numbers will come down Isaiah Rishon Kyles, Raven Burks, Tamara Deshay Burks, Zoey Danielle Moore, Tiffany ows, Justin Dewayne Messick, Cha'mon Devon Harris, Randy Levi Thomas Morgan, Milli- Dillon Hook, Jalen Nikel Marie Senn, Dalton Allen cent Claire Nolin, Samoyah Hooks, Carlos Lindsey, rances Oliver, Mykaeliah Alexandria Lynea McNair, Aereona Patterson, Jerron Marteez Wilkerson Reese Register, Alexis Lashone 2nd Grade: Laderis

> Alexandria Elizabeth Thomas, Ma'tray Za'kir Anderson, Shamya Ashiante Thomas, Gar-Cedric Jacqual Benton, Kimberly Dawn Brown, Karin Asha Adams, Brandon Nicholas 4th Grade: Kenneth Neil
> Amison, Caitlin Rochelle Bradloway, Ty'quan Ja'keel Craigloway, Ty'quan Ja'keel CraigTyrie Burks, Raigh Jayon Caldshaw, Travis Lee Carr, Brosnan head, Tony O'neil Daniels, Montray Cooks, Sally Alexan- Christopher Evans, Tymarquize dria Dawson, Deshawn EdGrey, Latavia Teandra Gulley, Keith Chandler, Porchia wards, Elijah Oneil Edwards,
> Brian Channng Free, Amber
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> Mickey Hudson, Kendre Jor-Leslie Goodwin, Beyonce dan, Preston Corey Millay, Gray, Thomas Avery Hanchey, Kevin Dion Pruitt, Jaden Tre-Kenneth Bridge Harrison, James Harold Hudson, Tanner Purvis, Shawn Jacob

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Elba Elementary School - 3rd Nine Weeks Honor Rolls "A" Honor Roll Christopher Hudson, Magnola Revels, Alexia Rodriguez, 1st Grade: Aalexis Brianna Leeann Johnson, Franklin Da- Ethan Nethanial Roper, Tame-

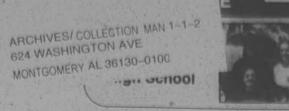
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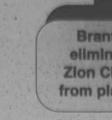
Elba Florist owner Chris North end of the airport would new roof and fixing up the side Odom, Gavin Matthew 6th Grade: Cameron Jamal Monta King, Audreonna Shanof the building which faces the Oglesby, Kayla Evonne Seay Arnold, Logan Gregory Bailey, ice Lindsey, Dalton Lee Par-

City Clerk Wayne Grantham motorists were given warnings traffic laws, and it has become a Fleming, Marcus Talon Flow- son, Kaleb Allen Richard, Lee Bradley, Eric De'vall-Cole, reported that the storm drain for the insurance violations, danger to pedestrians and other ers, Miguel Gasca, Shyundreia Quinton Elijah Smith, Mary J'lyn Syri Cole, Brittin Ray work on Brunson Circle is Four motorists were cited for motorists. He added he is confi- Hammonds, Terreia Ham- Annabelle Stokes, Kewaune Dean, Joseph Jake Foley, Martavious Gray, Damian Ray Thomas Richardson, Tarah Smith, Samuel Vyshaun Smith, Jania Janae Walker, Jakori Jaquan Warren, Katherine

> Tyrie Burks, Rajah Javon Caldwell, Aireal Calloway, Hayden Alexandria Curry, Brianna Lakwan Daniels, Paige Nicole Dewberry, Brandon Duncan, Cicely Nicol Edwards, Taylor Brooke Ford, Cobe Goosby, John Carlton Gray, Nicholas Chadwick Green, Jasmaine Monique Henderson, Jawana Cierra Lanise Hooks, Kasey Leigh Howard, Katie Ann Johnson, Aquate' Tyvell Jones, Tia Sherrise Kelley, Denise Janet Lockett, Jada Zhane Mckenzie, Dakota Brian Meadows, Ebone Breana Patterson, James Thomas Simmons, Dakota James Simpson, Asia Andreia Sistrunk, Garrett James Smith, Malik Deshad Smith, Annmarie Smith-Hook









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Thursday, April 24, 2008

1 Section, 16 Pages

During "called" meeting of Coffee County BOE Hiring of new head football coach for New Brockton Gamecocks approved by Linda Hodge, Editor ment of Striplin as head foot-ball coach/physical educa- Employ Karie Striplin -

County Board of Education school year. members approved a handful of Also during the meeting, Dr. 2008-09 school year personnel matters including the Ingram recommended and Employ Angela Davis - scihiring of a new head football board members approved the ence teacher at Zion Chapel

matters:

ball coach for the New Brock- . • Accept the retirement of conduct its annual award/honton Gamecocks. Board Pam Phillips - science teacher ors program for the 2007-08.

During a called meeting tion/health teacher at New English language arts teacher Wednesday, April 16, Coffee Brockton for the 2008-09, for grades 7-12/coach at New Brockton High School for the

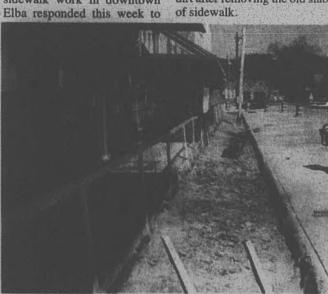
coach for New Brockton High sollowing certificated personnel School for the 2008-09 school

Superintendent Dr. Linda In- Accept the resignation of The next regular scheduled gram recommended and board Jennifer Conrad - sixth grade meeting for the Coffee County members approved the employ- teacher at New Brockton Ele- Board of Education will be ment of James (Jim Bob) mentary School, effective May Tuesday evening, May 6. On Striplin as the next head foot 31,2008. that evening, the board also will



Engineers answer questions about dirt work

sidewalk work in downtown dirt after removing the old slabs decorative lights around the for Kids" project; and the an-



This portion of the sidewalk on Simmons Street shows where being done by the State of Ala- itary crosses.

fundraiser for the Elba City pageant (April 26). The deadline

Schools band program. There to enter is Thursday, April 24, at

will be local entertainment, the pageant practice. Entry

games and jump-a-roos for chil- forms can can be brought to dren throughout the event. Also practice on April 24th. Practice

this year there will be a silent will be held at 7 p.m. at the Elba

be cooking hamburgers, hot- gory.

square during Band Day. These the square:

6) and Young Miss (Ages 7-9). dium.

The Elba band boosters will ning with the Tiny Miss cate-

dogs, chicken fingers and funnel Proceeds raised during Elba

cakes to go along with the bar- High School's Band Day 2008 becue plates pre-sold by each will go towards such things as

The Miss Pea River pageants struments, music and many are included among the Band other needs of the Elba band

The pageants for five age di-

visions will be at 10 a.m. on the Elba's Band Day activities on

age divisions include: Baby The Zion Chapel Rebel Band Miss (Ages 0-11 months); Tiny also will host Band Day this Sat-Miss (Ages 1-2); Tot Miss urday, April 26. This event will

(Ages 3-4); Little Miss (Ages 5- be held at Green Memorial Sta-

Attire is Sunday or heirloom The Zion Chapel High School

The annual Elba High School evening, the pageants for three leans, La.

downtown square in Elba and and Miss Pea River (Ages 16- able at the stadium.

High School auditorium begin-

gas for football games, new in-

schools' band programs host Day festivities.

lier last week and then replaced will also be going towards the is an entry fee per player or per Thursday was due to the prothey didn't want to have pud-

the street. be removed again. No exact timetable for laying itary Service.

some of the dirt will be removed to allow for underground work. bama.

Band Day will begin Saturday additional age divisions will be During Zion Chapel's Band Armed Forces of the United morning at 9 a.m. with a per-held at the Elba High School au-Day, there will be live entertain-States in time of war.

Area Happenings

HE ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION will sponso lational Day of Prayer event Thursday, May 1, at noon at

COFFEE COUNTY RECEIVES ALABAMA FARM-CITY AWARDS ... Coffee County Farm-City Committee Chairman James Aplin, center, accepts the awards for Best Farm-City Dinner and Best Farm-City Scrapbook in Division I during the Alabama Farm-City Awards hedl Monday, April 14, in Birmingham, Ala. Division I includes counties with populations of 35,600 and greater Presenting the awards are Alabama Farm-City Chairman J. Paul Till, left, and Alabama Farmer's Feder ition President Jerry A. Newby, right.

Elba Rotary Club "golf" fund raiser set for Friday

The Elba Rotary Club is largest community service projecteam. The entry fee include hosting its Second Annual Ro- ect ever taken on by the Elba green fees, a box lunch, cart tary Golf Scramble on Friday. Rotary Club, the current con- awards reception and special April 25, at the Elba Country struction of a Habitat for Hu favors for each golfer. manity home in Elba.

All proceeds raised from the The Elba club is committed for 1st place in the tournament tournament will be used by the to the Rotary motto of "Service" for both the morning and after Rotary Club to further support. Above Self' and through the from flights for the lowest team. various community service support of this fundraising ef- gross and net scores. Current projects in Elba, such as the an- fort club members will be able PGA Tour player. Boo Week by Ferrin Cox, Publisher questions about why they digthey of course want more nual scholarship program bento experience the fulfillment ley, donated prizes for the ging out, and dumping back in, consistent soil under the cement effting graduating seniors from that comes from giving back to Longest Drivers) and Closest to everseeing the a couple of feet of additional plus the electrical wiring for the Elba High School; the "Coats the community."

and thus under the sidewalk. Foundation. scramble, and tee times will The dirt that was dug our ear- A portion of the proceeds start at 8 a.m. and I p.m. There Please See GOLF. Page 16

Workers were back on the United Daughters of the Con-stationed at Pearl Harbor when New Brockton

the underground wiring and This presentation took place ships around him. fought in North Africa, Italy backfilling the hole is available. at a luncheon celebrating April The guns from the USS Hon-Southern France, Germany, and Engineers are awaiting the re- as Confederate History and olulu shot down one of the Austria moval of the overhead TV ca- Heritage Month. The awards Japanese bombers, and Busbee Busbee and Clark were also bling, which is scheduled for were presented by Shirley Ed- said the next plane that came awarded the National Defense this week, and they also need berg, chapter president, and over dropped a bomb which Medal by the United Daughters the results of some soil testing Reba Blissette, recorder of mil- blew a hole in the side of the Confederacy, for their

Two local schools plan Band Day for Saturday, April 26th by faithful devotion and patri- Bushee continued to serve, the United States Armed Forces Raising funds will be the dress. The winners of these age Rebel Marching Band hopes to in time of war have exemplified makes his home in Shahmar, country, on land, in air space, or name of the game this Saturday, divisions will be asked to stay raise funds during its Band Day courage and loyalty which re-April 26, when two local for the remainder of the Band activities to purchase new unifflect honor upon themselves as Joe Elma Clark was preforms as well as for a trip to the well as upon their Confederate sented the WWII Cross of Mil- in the Pacific and in the their annual Band Day activities. Beginning at 6 p.m. that 2009 Sugar Bowl in New Or- ancestor." The award is made itary Service, posthumously, for U.S. during this time. Clark was to those who have served in the his participation in the war. stationed in the U.S.

formance by the high school ditorium. These age divisions ment, games for children and band students. The Band Day include: Junior Miss (Ages 10- the Troy School of Dance will sented the WWII Cross of Milactivities will be held on the 12); Teen Miss (Ages 13-15); perform Food also will be availated the Will Closs of Will activities will be held on the 12); Teen Miss (Ages 13-15); the US Navy. Busbee, who atwill conclude at approximately 19). The attire is pageant dress. There will be an admission tended school in Elba, joined Age will be based on contes- charge to attend Zion Chapel's the Navy in 1938 and was serv-

Band Day is the major tant's age as of the day of the Band Day activities.

30-8:30 p.m. in the community room at the Farm Center in ew Brockton. Times and topics are as follows: 6:30-7 p.m. ght supper (pizza); 7-8:30 p.m. - program topics including ontainer Gerdening with Stan Windham; Water Gardening & ang fountains in the landscape with Rachel Dykes; and Using sed & Feed Fertilizers plus Fireant Control with David Koon.

ONZE 2008 will be held Saturday, May 17, at Elba

square will be all underground nual contributions to the Rotary ment will be a four-person year's event is Tim Whitehead

jected rain for the weekend and UDC honors WWII veterans with Cross of Military Service dles of water all up and down The General Edmond Win- On December 7, 1941, his The award was presented to his chester Rucker Chapter of the ship, the USS Honolulu was wife, Hazel Bushee Clark of job removing dirt Monday, federacy recently honored two the Japanese bombed the Clark was serving in the Na-That dumped in Thursday will World War II Veterans by United States Fleet there. Bustional Guard in Elba when his awarding them a Cross of Mil- bee, stood on the deck and unit was activated. After train-

watched as the bombs hit other ing, he was sent abroad and

Honolulu: Fortunately, the service during the Korean War. The Cross of Military Serv- Honolulu did not sink and no The National Defense Medal-is ice is presented to "those who lives were lost on that ship. awarded to those who served in



Ben Busbee (left) and Mrs. Joe Clark (right)

